

REPORTED SPEECH/ INDIRECT QUESTIONS

A. Correct the mistakes in 1–7. Start with a capital letter and put a period (.) at the end.

Example: He said that he will call me later.

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1. He said he doesn't know where was the parking lot.

2. She mentioned that she won't be back in time for the party.

3. She said she not know where was David.

4. They never told us where is the party.

5. He explained why there will be an extra charge on the bill.

6. He said me that he wasn't going to Lima.

7. They told they would be late.

B. Complete 1–5 with the correct form of these verbs.

be | learn | locate | mention | not know

1. The teacher promised that we _____ Spanish in three weeks!
2. He told us he _____ if he could fix the Internet connection.
3. We wondered where the restrooms were _____.
4. She _____ that the concierge would not be back until 1 p.m.
5. The manager said that the elevators _____ broken.

C. Complete 1–5 with the words below.

what | when | whether | where | who

1. Do you know _____ the changing rooms are?
2. I'd like to know _____ or not the flight will be on time.
3. Could you tell me _____ the Internet is going to be working again?
4. Do you have any idea _____ he was trying to say?
5. Could you tell me _____ I have to contact to solve this problem?

D. Match 1–5 to a–e to form indirect questions.

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| 1. I wonder if you can | a. [] what time the train leaves? |
| 2. Could you please | b. [] this button on my phone is for? |
| 3. Do you happen to know | c. [] this bus is going downtown or not? |
| 4. Could you tell me whether | d. [] tell me where I put my keys. |
| 5. Do you have any idea what | e. [] remind us when the next flight leaves? |

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