

UNIT 7

Can we talk?

REPORTED SPEECH

PRACTICE WORKSHEET

1. CHANGE THE FOLLOWING SENTENCES INTO REPORTED SPEECH.

- "I love coffee," she said.

- "Where are you going?" he asked me.

- "We will visit you tomorrow," they said.

- "I have finished my homework," he told his teacher.

- "Can you help me?" she asked.

- "They are watching a movie," my friend said.

- "Don't be late," my mom told me.

- "I didn't see him at the party," she said.

2. COMPLETE THE SENTENCES USING THE CORRECT REPORTING VERB FROM THE BOX.

say • tell • ask • wonder • explain • recommend

- He _____ (me) that he would call me later.
- She _____ (us) to arrive on time.
- I _____ (him) why he was so upset.
- They _____ (that) they had seen the new movie.
- My teacher _____ (me) to study every day.
- She _____ (me) how to solve the problem.

3. CHANGE THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS INTO REPORTED QUESTIONS.

- "What time is the meeting?"
He asked _____
- "Where do you live?"
She asked _____
- "Have you done your homework?"
My teacher asked _____
- "Will you come to the party?"
He asked _____
- "How does this work?"
I asked _____

4. COMPLETE THE SENTENCES. USE THE CORRECT TENSE OF THE VERBS IN BRACKETS.

- She said she _____ (be) tired.
- He told me he _____ (not / like) onions.
- They said they _____ (go) to the beach.
- I asked if she _____ (see) the email.
- He said he _____ (finish) the project.
- She asked me where I _____ (put) her keys.

5. REWRITE THE FOLLOWING SENTENCES. KEEP THE MEANING AS SIMILAR AS POSSIBLE.

- "I'm going on vacation next week," he said.
He said _____
- "Do you like this song?" she asked me.
She asked me _____
- "We have already eaten," they said.
They said _____
- "Please, close the window," my dad told me.
My dad told me _____
- "Why didn't you call me?" she asked.
She asked _____

6. MATCH THE DIRECT SPEECH (A) WITH THE CORRECT REPORTED SPEECH (B).

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| 1. "I will help you." | a. She asked if I could speak French. |
| 2. "Where is the library?" | b. He said he would help me. |
| 3. "I have lost my phone." | c. They said they had been so excited. |
| 4. "Can you speak French?" | d. She asked where the library was. |
| 5. "We were so excited!" | e. I told him that I had lost my phone. |
| 6. "Don't forget to call me." | f. She told me not to forget to call her. |

REFLECTION TIME

How confident do you feel using reported speech?

Circle one:

😊 Very confident 😊 Confident 😊 Okay 😊 Not confident

What was the most challenging part? Why?

