

## REPORTED SPEECH

1 Look at the words of a visitor and a receptionist. Then complete the reported speech using **said** or **told** and the correct verb form.



- 1 I ..... the receptionist I ..... there to see Mrs. Sykes.
- 2 I ..... that I ..... an appointment with her at one o'clock.
- 3 She ..... that I ..... wait in reception.
- 4 She ..... Mrs. Sykes that I ..... for her in reception.
- 5 She ..... me that Mrs. Sykes ..... down in two minutes.

2 ⑬ Use the correct form of the verbs in bold to complete the reported speech. Then listen and check.

- A: **Are we going out** with Peter and Nigella tonight?  
 B: No, they said that they <sup>1</sup> ..... **were going out** ..... somewhere else tonight, so they **can't meet**.  
 A: Why didn't they tell us last week that they <sup>2</sup> ..... ?  
 B: I don't know. Anyway, we're **having dinner** together next Friday instead.  
 A: But you said that we <sup>3</sup> ..... dinner with your parents next Friday.  
 B: Yes, but they'll **be** on vacation.  
 A: Really? You didn't tell me they <sup>4</sup> ..... on vacation.  
 B: Yes, I did. They've **booked** a vacation in France.  
 A: I thought they said they <sup>5</sup> ..... their vacation in Italy.  
 B: No, they said France.  
 A: So they **aren't going to** visit us before they go.  
 B: No. They said they <sup>6</sup> ..... have time to visit us.

## FUTURE CONTINUOUS AND FUTURE PERFECT

1 ⑭ Complete the text using the future continuous form of the verb in parentheses. Then listen and check.

- 1 Good morning Ladies and Gentlemen. This is flight LH344 from Berlin to New York's John F. Kennedy airport. We <sup>1</sup> ..... (take) off shortly so please fasten your seatbelts.
- 2 We <sup>2</sup> ..... (fly) at a speed of 885 kilometers per hour and at a height of over 10,000 meters. We <sup>3</sup> ..... (land) in New York in about ten hours, so sit back and enjoy the flight.
- 3 In a few minutes, our staff <sup>4</sup> ..... (serve) a hot lunch. After lunch, we <sup>5</sup> ..... (start) our duty-free service when we <sup>6</sup> ..... (sell) perfumes and other gift items.



2 ⑥ Complete the text using the future perfect form of the verbs in parentheses.

By this time next week, we \_\_\_\_\_ (cross) all  
 1 of Australia. We 2 \_\_\_\_\_ (drive) more than  
 2,000 miles, we 3 \_\_\_\_\_ (sleep) under the stars,  
 we 4 \_\_\_\_\_ (see) the sun set over Uluru,  
 we 5 \_\_\_\_\_ (visit) the famous town of Alice  
 Springs, and we 6 \_\_\_\_\_ (arrive) at our final  
 destination, Darwin, on the tropical north coast.



3 Choose the correct form of the verb.

- 1 A: Will you be in the office tomorrow?  
 B: I'll be traveling / have traveled all day, but you can call me on my cell phone.
- 2 A: I promise you we'll be finishing / have finished it by Friday.  
 B: I should hope so, because I won't be working / won't have been working on this over the weekend!
- 3 A: How long have you been here? A year and a half?  
 B: No, longer. We'll be living / have lived here for three years at the end of this month.
- 4 A: Will you be seeing / have seen Patricia this afternoon?  
 B: No, sorry. I won't be going / have gone to the sports center this afternoon.

## VOCABULARY

5 Underline the correct word to complete each sentence.



- 1 I hate the city because of the smell of exhaust dioxide / effect / fumes.
- 2 It's better for health reasons to use plastic / carbon / solar bottles for water.
- 3 It's much easier to use traffic / public / natural transport in town.
- 4 In southern countries there should be more use of solar gases / power / energy.
- 5 The hole in the ozone / global / nuclear layer can't be mended.
- 6 Are you concerned about climate gases / change / warming?
- 7 The level of carbon / exhaust / traffic dioxide is stable.
- 8 People are concerned about the potential dangers of nuclear pollution / energy / effect.
- 9 We now know that wind / greenhouse / global warming is a problem everywhere.

Find the extra word in each sentence and cancel it.

- 1 The greenhouse ~~climate~~ effect is a recent phenomenon.
- 2 We now have to substitute traffic plastic bags with biodegradable ones.
- 3 The key for the future is clean energy warming.
- 4 There's a problem with noise pollution effect in city centres.
- 5 A terrible forest solar fire destroyed the area.
- 6 Try to use public transport traffic when possible.
- 7 Checks show that the nuclear ozone level is rising.

### Saving the environment

7 Match the sentence halves.

- 1 You can easily save
  - 2 We can try to reduce
  - 3 She wastes
  - 4 You spend too much
  - 5 Remember to turn off
  - 6 Don't throw away
  - 7 We can recycle
  - 8 People who want to save
  - 9 We can protect
- a money on your fuel bills.
- b paper, take it to be recycled.
- c trees can use recycled paper.
- d pollution in lots of different ways.
- e plastic now, and make containers and bottles from it.
- f water by turning off taps.
- g forests by planting artificial ones for wood.
- h the heating when you leave.
- i energy, she never switches off the lights.