

REPORTED SPEECH

Choose the best answer

1. "We are very tired. ", they said.
 - A. They said we were very tired.
 - B. They said they were very tired.
 - C. They said we are very tired.
 - D. They said they are very tired.
2. His sister said, "I don't buy this book. "
 - A. His sister said I don't buy this book.
 - B. His sister said she didn't buy this book.
 - C. His sister said I didn't buy that book.
 - D. His sister said she didn't buy that book.
3. They said, "We have to try our best to win the match. "
 - A. They said we have to try our best to win the match.
 - B. They said we have to try their best to win the match.
 - C. They said they had to try their best to win the match.
 - D. They said they had to try our best to win the match.
4. "I went out with my friends last night," Tim said.
 - A. Tim said that I would go out with his friends last night.
 - B. Tim said that he went out with my friends the previous night.
 - C. Tim said that he had gone out with his friends the previous night.
 - D. Tim said that I had gone out with his friends last night.
5. "I'm going back to work next week", said Harry.
 - A. Harry said that he was going back to work the following week.
 - B. Harry said that I am going back to work next week.
 - C. Harry said that I was going back to work the following week.
 - D. Harry said that he was going back to work next week.
6. "I'm going to participate in a volunteer program this summer," said Martha.
 - A. Martha said that she was going to participate in a volunteer program that summer.
 - B. Martha said that I was going to participate in a volunteer program this summer.
 - C. Martha said that I am going to participate in a volunteer program this summer.
 - D. Martha said that she is going to participate in a volunteer program that summer.
7. "I'm going to have a job interview tomorrow," said Paul.
 - A. Paul said that I am going to have a job interview tomorrow.
 - B. Paul said that he was going to have a job interview the following day.
 - C. Paul said that I was going to have a job interview the following day.
 - D. Paul said that he was going to have a job interview tomorrow.
8. "What are you going to do after school, Anne?" Kevin asked.
 - A. Kevin asked Anne what was she going to do after school.
 - B. Kevin asked Anne what she was going to do after school.
 - C. Kevin wanted to know what Anne would do after school.

D. Kevin wanted to know what would Anne do after school.

9. "What have you done to my laptop, Jane?" asked Tom.

A. Tom asked Jane what she had done to his laptop.

B. Tom asked Jane what had she done to his laptop.

C. Tom asked Jane what has she done to his laptop.

D. Tom asked Jane what she has done to his laptop.

10. "Why didn't you attend the meeting, Mary?" Tom asked.

A. Tom asked Mary why didn't she attend the meeting.

B. Tom asked Mary why she hadn't attended the meeting.

C. Tom asked Mary why hadn't she attended the meeting.

D. Tom asked Mary why she wasn't attending the meeting.

11. "You should take better care of your health," said Tom's mother.

A. Tom's mother promised to take better care of his health.

B. Tom's mother ordered him to take better care of his health.

C. Tom's mother required him to take better care of his health.

D. Tom's mother advised him to take better care of his health.

12. "Would you like to go to the show with me?" Anna said to Bella.

A. Anna reminded Bella to go to the show with her.

B. Anna persuaded Bella to go to the show with her.

C. Anna encouraged Bella to go to the show with her.

D. Anna invited Bella to go to the show with her.

13. "I'm sorry I haven't finished the assignment," Fiona said.

A. Fiona denied having finished the assignment.

B. Fiona regretted having finished the assignment.

C. Fiona refused to finish the assignment.

D. Fiona apologised for not finishing the assignment.

14. "You'd better stay at home during this time," he said to Lan.

A. He ordered Lan to stay at home during that time.

B. He warned Lan against staying at home during that time.

C. He advised Lan to stay at home during that time.

D. He thanked Lan for staying at home during that time.

15. "I'll help you with the washing-up, Mary" he said.

A. He admitted helping Mary with the washing-up.

B. He denied helping Mary with the washing-up.

C. He promised to help Mary with the washing-up.

D. He refused to help Mary with the washing-up.