Reported Speech

with reporting verbs

Key Word Transformation

1. Martin said he was sorry that he'd upset Sarah. **APOLOGISED**

Martin _____ Sarah.

2. The tour leader told everyone about the danger of getting too close to the edge of the waterfall. **WARNED**

The tour leader _____ too close to the edge of the waterfall.

3. "Thank you everybody - you've made my birthday a really happy occasion." **THANKED**

Lynn _____ birthday a really happy occasion.

4. "Leon, I think you should tell your mother the truth," said Maite. **ADVISED**

Maite _____ his mother the truth.

5. "I'm sorry I didn't let you know I was going to be late, Ann," said Jamie. **APOLOGISED**

Jamie_____Ann know that he was going to be late.

6. Rob said to Jennifer: "You broke the strap on my new camera." **ACCUSED**

Rob _____ the strap on his new camera.

7. "Do you mind if my junior colleague observes this consultation?" Dr Matthews asked her patient. **OBJECTED**

Dr Matthews asked her patient _____ a junior colleague observing the consultation.

8. "Kate, can you remember to turn off the lights when you leave?" **REMINDED**

Paul _____off the light when she left.

9. "OK Dave, let's do it. Let's take up singing lessons," said Brenda. **AGREED**

Brenda _____singing lessons.

10. "No, I'm sorry. I won't give you this eraser back because it's mine," said the boy. **REFUSED**

The boy _____back because it was his.

11. "Why don't we go to the movies tonight?" asked Kevin. **SUGGESTED**

Kevin _____ the movies that night.

12. "I haven't touched your backpack Carol!" said Chris. **DENIED**

Chris _____Carol's backpack.

13. "I can help you with your homework if you like," said Sue. **OFFERED**

Sue _____with my homework.

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