

ACTIVITIES TO PRACTICE REPORTED SPEECH:

1. Make these sentences in reported speech.

1. "Will you come later?" She asked me

2. "Do you like coffee?" She asked me

3. "Is this the road to the station?" She asked me

4. "Did you do your homework?" She asked me

5. "Have you studied reported speech before?" She asked me

6. Jamie said, "I'll never forget your birthday again." Jamie said that

7. John said, "I am writing a new novel". John said

2. Complete with said or told.

1. Julie _____ that she would join us after work.

2. She _____ me that she was going running this evening.

3. John _____ us that he couldn't come to the party.

4. John _____ that he had been to the cinema at the weekend.

5. She _____ them she wanted to quit.

6. David _____ he was going to arrive at eight.

3. People made these statements. Report them, using said.

a. "Mary works in a bank", Jane said.

b. "I'm staying with some friends", Jim said.

c. "I've never been to Russia", Mike said.

d. "Tom can't use a computer", Ella said.

e. "Everybody must try to do their best", Jill said.

f. "Jane may move to a new flat", Rachel said.

g. "I'll stay at home on Sunday", Bill said.
