

REPORTED SPEECH

Statements

Change the following sentences to Reported Speech. Make any necessary changes (verbs, pronouns, time and place expressions):

1. Sara said to me: "I have bought tickets for you for the magic show".
Sara said to me that
2. He said: "I will go to the concert tomorrow".
He said (that)
3. He said: "My sister performed really well yesterday".
He said (that)
4. The actor said: "The microphone doesn't work".
The actor said (that)
5. "I'm not living here now", she said.
She said (that)

Questions

Change the following questions to Reported Speech. Make any necessary changes:

1. My sister asked me: "Are you angry at me?"
My sister asked me
2. He asked me: "Do you know my sister?"
He asked me
3. The assistant asked us: "Have you found your tickets?"
The assistant asked us
4. The doctor asked me: "What is the problem?"
The doctor asked me
5. He asked her: "Where did you sing last week?"
He asked her

Requests and Commands

Change the sentences that follow to Reported Speech:

1. "Can you buy some bread, please?", my mum asked me.
My mum asked me
2. "Bring me the ball", I said to the dog.
I said to the dog
3. My neighbour said: "Don't be noisy".
My neighbour asked us
4. "Go to the playground", the teacher said.
The teacher asked us

5. "Don't play with the ball here", the man said.
The man asked us

Changes

Make the changes so that the sentences are correct:

1. The teacher asked us: "Why didn't you do your homework?"
The teacher asked us why hadn't done homework
2. Charles said: "I'm studying now".
Charles said that was studying
3. "Will you come to school next week?", my friend asked me.
My friend asked me if I come to school
4. She said: "Put the bags here!"
She asked us to put the bags

Mistakes

Correct the mistakes on the following sentences. You **don't** have to write the whole sentence, write just the mistake. If the sentence has no mistakes, write correct.

1. Megan said: "I visited my neighbour yesterday".
Megan said that **she** has visited her neighbour **the day before**.
2. The students said: "We don't have an exam today".
The students said that we weren't have an exam **that day**.
3. The shop assistant asked me: "Will you buy that T-shirt?"
The shop assistant asked me if I were buy that T-shirt.
4. He asked me: "When is your birthday?"
He asked me when was **my** birthday.
5. My mum said: "Don't be late!"
My mum said to not be late.

Mixed

Change to reported speech:

1. My sister asked me: "Where have you been?"
My sister asked me
2. My aunt said: "Come and visit me tomorrow".
My aunt said
3. The boy asked us: "Do you have another pen?"

The boy asked us

4. "I forgot to bring your book yesterday", Sara said to me.
Sara said to me (that)
5. "We won't sleep here", the children said.
The children said (that)
6. "Can you translate that sentence, please?", the teacher asked.
The teacher asked
7. "When did you arrive?", she asked me.
She asked me