

# Reported Speech Verbs Quiz

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## Answer the Questions!



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- 1 Which of the following is NOT one of the most commonly used verbs in reported speech?
  - a State
  - b Tell
  - c Ask
  - d Say
- 2 In the sentence "She said 'I am going to the park'", which word would change when reported as "She said she \_\_\_\_ going to the park"?
  - a is
  - b was
  - c will be
  - d had been
- 3 Which of the following reported speech sentences does NOT require a tense change?
  - a He said, "I am going to the cinema."
  - b She said, "I will finish the project tomorrow."
  - c They said, "We are on holiday this week."
  - d I said, "I have been waiting for an hour."
- 4 In the reported speech sentence "She told me that she \_\_\_\_ the book last week", which verb tense should be used?
  - a reads
  - b read
  - c has read
  - d will read

5 Which of the following reported speech sentences correctly uses a pronoun change?

- a He said, "I am tired."
- b She said, "You are late."
- c They said, "We will be there."
- d I said, "She is my friend."

6 In the sentence "They said 'We are leaving now'", which two words would need to change when reported as "They said they \_\_\_\_ leaving \_\_\_\_"?

- a were, then
- b are, then
- c were, now
- d are, now

7 Which of the following best describes the general rule for changing verb tenses when converting direct speech to reported speech?

- a The verb tense stays the same.
- b The verb tense moves one tense forward.
- c The verb tense moves one tense backward.
- d The verb tense changes to the present tense.