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CHUYÊN ĐỀ 9:
REPORTED SPEECH
(Câu tường thuật)

I. Choose the correct option.

1. They **said / told** us that they were getting married the following month.
2. Did Angela **say / tell** you that she wasn't happy?
3. Janet's husband **said / told** that he was working late.
4. You **said / told** that you didn't like men with beard.
5. I **said / told** you that I had a new girlfriend.

II. Fill in the blank with a suitable word / phrase.

6. "Our plane lands **tonight**" → They said their plane landed _____.
7. "I am going to the cinema **this evening**" → Sara told me that she was going to the cinema _____.
8. "Paul took his driving license **last week**" → Paul told me he had taken his driving license _____.
9. "I like the way they cook **here**" → Tina said that she liked the way they cooked _____.
10. "This girl is **my** sister" → She said to me that that girl was _____ sister.

III. Rewrite these sentences into reported speech.

Ex: "**I like** shopping." → She said that she liked shopping.

11. "I want to leave my husband."

Jane said that she _____.

12. "I don't like my wife's parents."

Peter told me that he _____.

13. "I'm getting divorced."

Katie told me that she _____.

14. "I've been to the hospital."

Matt told me that he _____.

15. "I haven't met my brother's girlfriend yet."

Susan said that she _____.

16. "You taught us English last year."

They said to me that _____.

17. I can't cook.

Lucy told me that she _____.

18. "I won't tell anyone."

Martin said that he _____.

19. "I'll speak to my boss."

Katherine said that she _____.

20. "I have a lot of work to do."

My boyfriend told me that he _____.

IV. Change the sentences into reported speech.

Ex: "Do **you want** a drink?" → He asked me if/whether I wanted a drink.

21. "Do you often go to the theatre?"

I asked Lisa _____.

22. "Can you help me?"

Sally asked the policeman _____.

23. "Will you be home early?"

Anna asked Robert _____.

24. "Have you ever been married?"

She asked him _____.

25. "Are you free tonight?"

We asked him _____.

V. Change the sentences into reported speech.

Ex: "Where do **you live**?" → *She asked me where I lived.*

26. "When are you leaving?"

My parents asked me _____.

27. "Where do you usually buy your clothes?"

My sister asked me _____.

28. "Why did you break up?"

My friend asked me _____.

29. "Where will you go tomorrow?"

Sophie asked me _____.

30. "How much did you pay for your jacket?"

I asked Oliver _____.

VI. Change the following sentences into reported speech. (Request)

Ex: "Listen to me!" → *He asked me to listen to him.*

31. "Stop talking, Joe," the teacher said.

The teacher told Joe _____.

32. "Be patient," she said to him.

She told him _____.

33. "Don't go to your room," her father said to her.

Her father told her _____.

34. "Give me the key," he told her.

He asked her _____.

35. "Don't play it again, Sam," she said.

She asked Sam _____.

VII. Choose the best answer.

36. *Cindy said: "I haven't seen John since last month."*

A. Cindy said she hasn't seen John since the previous month.

B. Cindy said she hadn't seen John since the previous month.

C. Cindy said she wasn't seen John since the previous month.

D. Cindy said she doesn't see John since the previous month.

37. *"You have not done your work well", said the teacher to me.*

A. The teacher told me I hadn't done my work well.

B. The teacher told me I haven't done my work well.

C. The teacher told me I hadn't done your work well.

D. The teacher told me I hadn't done his work well.

38. *"I can't explain this rule to you", said my classmate to me.*

A. My classmate told me he can't explain that rule to me.

B. My classmate told me he couldn't explain that rule to me.

C. My classmate told me he couldn't explain that rule to you.

D. My classmate said me he couldn't explain that rule to me.

39. *Sarah said: "I read this book last year."*

A. Sarah said she had read that book the previous year.

- B. Sarah said she read this book the previous year.
 C. Sarah said she has read that book the previous year.
 D. Sarah said she would read that book the previous year.
- 40. "Buy some meat in the shop", said my mother to me.**
 A. My mother said to me to buy some meat in the shop.
 B. My mother told to me to buy some meat in the shop.
 C. My mother told me to buy some meat in the shop.
 D. My mother said me to buy some meat in the shop.
- 41. The doctor said to Peter: "Don't go for a walk today".**
 A. The doctor said Peter not to go for a walk that day.
 B. The doctor told Peter not go for a walk that day.
 C. The doctor said to Peter not to go for a walk that day.
 D. The doctor told Peter not to go for a walk that day.
- 42. He said to them: "Who will you see before you leave here?"**
 A. He asked them who they would see before they left there.
 B. He asked them who would they see before they left there.
 C. He asked them who they would see before you left there.
 D. He asked them who you would see before they left there.
- 43. She asked me: "Why didn't you come here yesterday?"**
 A. She asked me why I hadn't gone there the day before.
 B. She asked me why I didn't go there the day before.
 C. She asked me why didn't I go there the day before.
 D. She asked me why hadn't I gone there the day before.
- 44. Mother asked me: "Did you play with your friends yesterday?"**
 A. Mother asked me if I had played with your friends the day before.
 B. Mother asked me if I played with my friends the day before.
 C. Mother asked me if I had played with my friends the day before.
 D. Mother asked if you had played with my friends the day before.
- 45. "Why don't you go by train? It's much less tiring than driving, "I said.**
 A. I advised him to go by train as it was much less tiring than driving.
 B. I suggested him to go by train as it was much less tiring than driving.
 C. I warned him to go by train as it was much less tiring than driving.
 D. I advised him going by train as it was much less tiring than driving.
- 46. "I'll return it tomorrow", said Sarah.**
 A. Sarah offered to return it the following day.
 B. Sarah said she would return it tomorrow.
 C. Sarah agreed to come back the following day.
 D. Sarah promised to return it the following day.
- 47. "Have you heard of her marriage?"**
 A. She asked me if I hear of their marriage.
 B. She asked me whether I heard of their marriage.
 C. She asked me if I had heard of their marriage.
 D. She asked me I had heard of their marriage.
- 48. "What do you want?" he asked me.**
 A. He asked me what I want.
 B. He asked me what I wanted.
 C. He asked me what do I want
 D. He asked me what did I want.
- 49. "Can I borrow your pen please, Sam?", said Gillian.**
 A. Gillian asked Sam if she can borrow his pen.
 B. Gillian asked Sam if she could borrow his pen.
 C. Gillian asked Sam she can borrow his pen.
 D. Gillian asked Sam she could borrow his pen.
- 50. Barbara said: "I saw them at my parents' house last year."**
 A. Barbara said I had seen them at my parents' house the previous year.
 B. Barbara said she saw them at her parents' house the previous year.
 C. Barbara said she had seen them at her parents' house the previous year.
 D. Barbara said they had seen her at her parents' house the previous year.