

REPORTED SPEECH

REPORTED STATEMENTS

1. "We're living with our parents" They said
2. "We are here today to reach consensus" He said that
3. "I will lend you my doll next week" She told me that
4. "The results will be announced tomorrow" They said that
5. "The Government will release all the UFO files that have been secret over the past 50 years"
BBC News reported that
6. "All my life I've had a temper and I got into fights at school and university".
She said that
7. "She may be a Muslim, because she covers her body and head with long clothes"
People thought that
8. "These people are not listening to me now" The waiter said that
9. "It's great to get a world record and I am very happy to have completed the challenge"
He said that
10. "At the moment we're working on one of the biggest cases we've ever handled".
The author said that
11. "I was having a bath when the lights went out" He told me that
12. "I've been cleaning the garden since yesterday and I haven't finished yet"
You said that
13. "We bought the tickets a long time ago" My neighbours said that

DIRECT SPEECH

1. The teacher told us not to mock our classmates. The teacher said,
2. She asked how much they had paid for that new computer. She asked,
3. She said she was going to live in a nice boat the following year. She said,
4. Peter asked Mike if he was starting his new job that day. Peter asked,
5. Albert told us that he had finished the last Harry Potter book the week before.
Albert said,
6. Linda wanted to know when I was coming home. Lisa wanted to know,
7. He asked her if she could tell him the answer to those questions.
He asked her,
8. Mary told her children not to get up so early because they didn't have to go to school.
Mary said,

YES/NO QUESTIONS

1. "Do you ever feel this pain in your stomach?" The doctor asked
2. "Will global warming create more superstorms?" The journalist asked
3. "Do you think scientists will decipher the mental map?" The journalist asked
4. "Did they fly to Norway yesterday?" Susan asked me
5. "Is there anything in your past you regret?" The doctor wanted to know
6. "Don't they have any compassion?" She asked
7. "Can you do me a favour?" Liz asked me
8. "Do you want to come to the cinema with me?" He asked me
9. "Were you washing your car last Sunday at 5.00 p.m.?" Mary asked me
10. "Have you ever been in Paris?" Peter wanted to know

WH-QUESTIONS

1. "Where did you buy these trainers?" Anna asked me
2. "Who was making that noise yesterday?" He asked
3. "Why has Jane refused to apologise?" John asked
4. "When will the game start tomorrow?" Peter asked
5. "What has your brother decided to do?" I asked her
6. "How did you get to the beach?" I asked them
7. "How long have you been here?" They wanted to know
8. "How often do your cousins stay with you?" I asked her
9. "Why are you so late tonight?" Mary asked me
10. "Who won't be here next week?" The tennis coach asked

COMMANDS

1. "Hold on a moment" Mary told me
2. "Tidy up the kitchen for me" My mother told me
3. "Buy me the paper if you're going out" Alice told her brother
4. "Switch off the TV now" He said told her
5. "Don't ever marry again" Mary said to Helen
6. "Don't take any pill until tomorrow" The doctor said
7. "Don't talk aloud because your little brother is sleeping" He told his daughters
8. "Please, don't stay out too late" My mother told me
9. "Don't talk in the library!" The librarian ordered
10. "Don't give me the money now" The banker told me