

# Reported Speech



**Reported Speech  
is NOT EASY!**

**HE SAID THAT  
HE TOLD ME THAT**

**Intermediate English Grammar**

## ●●● REPORTED SPEECH ●●●

Reported speech is a term we use when telling someone what another person said. There are two kinds of reported speech you can use: direct speech and indirect speech.

### DIRECT SPEECH

A *direct speech* sentence mentions the exact words the other person said.



Kryz said, "These are all my necklaces."

### INDIRECT SPEECH

*Indirect speech* changes the original speaker's words.



Kryz said those were all her necklaces.

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