

# REPORTED SPEECH (INDIRECT SPEECH) EXERCISES

READ THE SPEECH BUBBLES  
AND COMPLETE THE  
REPORTED STATEMENTS



I will buy a new pink dress for Julia's wedding ceremony.

1. She said that \_\_\_\_\_



I am going to give a concert in a big city in England next Friday.

2. He said that \_\_\_\_\_



I get up early in the morning and have a breakfast with omelette and orange juice.

3. She said that \_\_\_\_\_

I don't work anymore because I am a retired man.



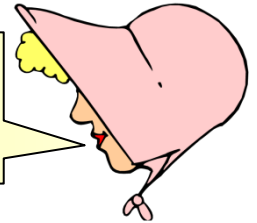
4. He said that \_\_\_\_\_

I am very happy because my wife and I are going to have a baby soon.



5. He said that \_\_\_\_\_

My little son usually goes out and plays with his friends in the playground.



6. She said that \_\_\_\_\_



I don't think I will drink coke because it is dangerous for my health.

7. She said that \_\_\_\_\_

I will be very happy if my husband buy me a red sports car on my birthday.



8. She said that \_\_\_\_\_

I work as a fortune teller at a circus and I travel around the world.



9. She said that \_\_\_\_\_



I am the sheriff of the town but I don't know how I will catch those robbers.

10. He said that \_\_\_\_\_

I have to leave now because I have a lot of housework to do.



11. She said that \_\_\_\_\_

My daughter is going to fly to Florida for a business meeting.



12. He said that \_\_\_\_\_

# REPORTED SPEECH (INDIRECT SPEECH) EXERCISES ANSWER KEY

READ THE SPEECH BUBBLES AND COMPLETE THE REPORTED STATEMENTS



I will buy a new pink dress for Julia's wedding ceremony.

1. She said that she would buy a new pink dress for Julia's wedding ceremony.



I am going to give a concert in a big city in England next Friday.

2. He said that he was going to give a concert in a big city in England the following Friday.



I get up early in the morning and have a breakfast with omelette and orange juice.

3. She said that she got up early in the morning and had a breakfast with omelette and orange juice.

I don't work anymore because I am a retired man.

4. He said that he didn't work anymore because he was a retired man.

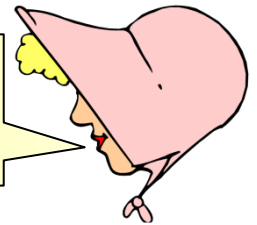


I am very happy because my wife and I are going to have a baby soon.



5. He said that he was very happy because his wife and he were going to have a baby soon.

My little son usually goes out and plays with his friends in the playground.



6. She said that her son usually went out and played with his friends in the playground.



I don't think I will drink coke because it is dangerous for my health.

7. She said that she didn't think she would drink coke because it was dangerous for her

I will be very happy if my husband buy me a red sports car on my birthday.

8. She said that she would be very happy if her husband bought her a red sports car.



I work as a fortune teller at a circus and I travel around the world.



9. She said that she worked as a fortune teller at a circus and she travelled around the



I am the sheriff of the town but I don't know how I will catch those robbers.

10. He said that he was the sheriff of the town but he didn't know how he would catch those robbers.

I have to leave now because I have a lot of housework to do.



11. She said that she had to leave then because she had a lot of housework to do.

My daughter is going to fly to Florida for a business meeting.



12. He said that his daughter was going to fly to Florida for a business meeting.