

**Change to reported speech using the introductory phrase in brackets!**

1. Mary said: "I will play cards the day after tomorrow". (**Mary informed me...**)
2. Sophie said: "I went to bed early last night". (**Sophie said ....**)
3. The teacher said to Jenny: "You have to learn your grammar". (**The teacher told Jenny...**)
4. Monique to the immigration officer: "This is my first trip to England." (**Monique told the immigration officer...**)
5. He told me: "You are the most beautiful girl I have ever seen". (**He told me ...**)
6. Nick said: "I'm going to visit my parents next month". (**Nick declared that ...**)
7. Lilly: "My parents are fine and I really get on with them". (**Lilly said ...**)
8. Gloria: "I am sorry but I can't come to your birthday party because I am going away for the weekend." (**Gloria explained that ...**)
9. Mark: "My friend Gary has found a new job in the music business." (**Mark said that ...**)
10. Judy: "I have already written this essay four times." (**Judy complained that ...**)
11. Peter: "I will not stop until this factory is shut down". (**Peter announced that ...**)
12. Her boyfriend told her: "You have bought yourself a wonderful dress." (**Her boyfriend told her...**)
13. Paul: "I don't like my new flat" (**Paul said that ...**)
14. My father to Ben: "I am sure I saw you here last week." (**My father told Ben...**)
15. Betty: "If I knew the answer I would tell you". (**Betty assured me ....**)
16. He said: "Tomorrow at five o'clock I will be sitting on a train to Glasgow." (**He said that...**)
17. Miss Jackson: "I warned you to study for the test a month ago." (**Miss Jackson reminded me...**)
18. Dave: "I was outside the classroom during the break but I saw a group of my colleagues inside the room." (**Dave said that ...**)
19. Mrs Wilson: "No one has ever spoken to me like this before." (**Mrs Wilson said ...**)
20. Little Johnny to his neighbour: "I am not proud of what I have done". (**Little Johnny admitted...**)

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1. Mary said: "I will play cards the day after tomorrow". (**Mary informed me...**)  
Mary informed me that she would play cards the following day/the next day.
2. Sophie said: "I went to bed early last night". (**Sophie said ....**)  
Sophie said that she had gone to bed early that night.
3. The teacher said to Jenny: "You have to learn your grammar". (**The teacher told Jenny...**)  
The teacher told Jenny that she had to learn her grammar.
4. Monique to the immigration officer: "This is my first trip to England." (**Monique told the immigration officer...**)  
Monique told the immigration officer that it was her first trip to England.
5. He told me: "You are the most beautiful girl I have ever seen". (**He told me ...**)  
He told me that I was the most beautiful girl he had ever seen.
6. Nick said: "I'm going to visit my parents next month". (**Nick declared that ...**)  
Nick declared that he was going to see his parents the following month.
7. Lilly: "My parents are fine and I really get on with them". (**Lilly said ...**)  
Lilly said that her parents were really fine and she really got on with them.
8. Gloria: "I am sorry but I can't come to your birthday party because I am going away for the weekend." (**Gloria explained that ...**)  
Gloria explained that she was really sorry but she couldn't come to my party because she was going away for the weekend.
9. Mark: "My friend Gary has found a new job in the music business." (**Mark said that ...**)  
Mark said that his friend Gary had found a new job in the music business.
10. Judy: "I have already written this essay four times." (**Judy complained that ...**)  
Judy complained that she had already written that essay four times.
11. Peter: "I will not stop until this factory is shut down". (**Peter announced that ...**)  
Peter announced that he would not stop until that factory was shut down.
12. Her boyfriend told her: "You have bought yourself a wonderful dress." (**Her boyfriend told her...**)  
Her boyfriend told her that she had bought herself a wonderful dress.
13. Paul: "I don't like my new flat" (**Paul said that ...**)  
Paul said that he didn't like his new flat.
14. My father to Ben: "I am sure I saw you here last week." (**My father told Ben...**)  
My father told Ben that he was sure he had seen him there the week before.
15. Betty: "If I knew the answer I would tell you". (**Betty assured me ....**)  
Betty assured me that if she had known the answer she would have told me.
16. He said: "Tomorrow at five o'clock I will be sitting on a train to Glasgow." (**He said that...**)  
He said that the next day at five o'clock he would be sitting on a train to Glasgow.
17. Miss Jackson: "I warned you to study for the test a month ago." (**Miss Jackson reminded me...**)  
Miss Jackson reminded me that she had warned me to study for the test a month before.
18. Dave: "I was outside the classroom during the break but I saw a group of my colleagues inside the room." (**Dave said that ...**)  
Dave said that he had been outside the classroom during the break but he had seen a group of his colleagues inside the room.
19. Mrs Wilson: "No one has ever spoken to me like this before." (**Mrs Wilson said ...**)  
Mrs Wilson said that no one had ever spoken to her like that before.
20. Little Johnny to his neighbour: "I am not proud of what I have done". (**Little Johnny admitted...**)  
Little Johnny admitted that he was not proud of what he had done.