



UNIT 14

REPORTED SPEECH

| Direct speech | | Reported speech |
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| Sarah said: | past simple V2 | <i>Согласование времен:</i> present simple V ₁ → past simple V ₂ => love → loved |
| "I love Abraham" | present simple V1 | "I" → "she" (Sarah) |
| | | Sarah said (that) she loved Abraham. |

Reported speech

present → past

am/is → was

are → were

have/has → had

will → would

can → could

She said: "I am driving and can't talk on the mobile" →

→ She said (that) she was driving and couldn't talk on the mobile.

He said: "If I have time, I will help you" →

→ He said (that) if had time he would help me

past → past/past perfect

V₂ →

→ V₂ / had V₃

Jess said: "I woke up feeling ill and stayed in bed." →

→ Jess said (that) she woke / had woken feeling ill and stayed / had stayed in bed.

Reported speech

must V₁

would V₁

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might V₁

should V₁

прежними

could V₁

ought to V₁

may → might V₁

She **said**: "You **should listen** to me more attentively" →
→ She **said** (that) we **should listen** to her more attentively.

Jane **said**: "You **may phone** me any time" →
→ Jane **said** I **might phone** her any time.

Imperative: tell/told
 ask/asked **+ to V₁ (infinitive)**

The doctor **said**: "**Take** a pill in every four hours" →
→ The doctor **told to take** a pill in every four hours.

Ann **said** to me: "**Can** you **keep** it a secret?" →
→ Ann **asked me to keep** it a secret.

Exercise 1

What would say?

The teacher **said**: "You **are** good students."

The teacher **said**

He **said**: "I **want** to have a snack."

He **said**

Ray **said**: "Tomorrow we **will** take the first exam."

Ray **said**

Jerry **said**: "Maths **was** difficult to study even at school."

Jerry **said**

She **said**: "I **would** help you if you **asked**."

She **said**

"**Wake** up!" Mom **told** me.

Mom **told** me

"**Can** you open the window?" she **asked**.

She **asked** me

"**Are** you dancing?" he **asked** me gently.

He

"**Do you follow me?**" the speaker **said**.

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Exercise 2

Заполните пропуски, используя один из данных вариантов:

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| She asked me _____ a car. | A do I have B. if did I have C. if I had |
| My dentist says I _____ eat so many sweets. | A can't B. don't have to C. shouldn't |
| Mr. Harrison said that he _____ again. | A will call B. would call C. calls |
| She asked me _____. | A if I smoked B. if I smoke C. did I smoke |
| The doctor told me _____ more exercises. | A to do B. doing C. do |
| I asked her _____ a phone call. | A was there B. if there was C. if was there |