

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.



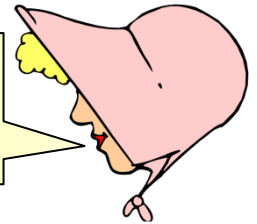
4. He said that _____

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.**



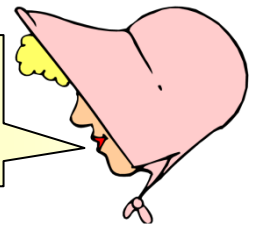
I am very happy because my wife and I are going to have a baby soon.

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.**

