GRAMMAR

Reported speech | Reporting orders, requests & advice

Complete the reported sentences with the correct forms of the verbs, personal pronouns and possessive adjectives. 1 We don't want to do a house swap again. (Jill and Barry) Jill and Barry said that ______ to do a house swap again. 2 You can do loads of watersports on my local beach. (Andy) Andy said that you _____ loads of water sports on _____ local beach. 3 I've never seen such stunning views. (Jo) Jo said she _____ such stunning views. 4 We went to the Maldives last month. (Sandy and Marion) Sandy and Marion said that ______ to the Maldives the previous month. 5 My sister is planning to go backpacking with her friends. _____ sister _____ Mike said that ____ to go backpacking with her friends. 2 Report these conversations. Make any necessary changes. It's the worst hotel we've ever stayed in! Steve: We can go somewhere else. Jane said _____ 2 Alice: I'm planning to go to Australia for my gap year. Miriam: I'll come too! Alice said _____ Miriam told _____ 3 Nick: I saw Ellis at the beach yesterday. That's not possible – he's gone overseas. Nick said ___ Josh told _____ 4 George: I'm going to New York for my 16th birthday! You can't do that without me! George said _____ Ben told _____ 3 Rewrite the sentences in reported speech with the verb in brackets. Make any other necessary changes. 1 'Don't use that travel website,' Penny said to me. 2 'Can you show me where the main square is?' the tourist said to me. 3 'Hurry up or we'll miss our flight!' Mum shouted at us.

4 'Could you pass me my scarf?' my sister said to me.

4 Read the text and write the dialogue between the tw girls in direct speech.



- 1 Ellie told Tamsin that she was hoping to save up som money so she could buy a round-the-world ticket the following summer.
- 2 Tamsin replied that she thought it was a great idea a she wanted to come, so she would buy one too.
- 3 Ellie told Tamsin that she couldn't go with her. She sa she'd already told Christina she was going with her.
- 4 Tamsin told Ellie that she was being a bit unkind and that they could all go together.
- 5 Ellie later told Tamsin she'd thought about it and that she had decided that she could come travelling with and Christina.

1	Ellie:		***************************************
2	Tamsin:		
3	Ellie:		
4	Tamsin:		

5 Correct the mistakes in the sentences.

5 (Later) Ellie:

- 1 The guide said us we couldn't go into the church we T-shirts.
- 2 The travel agent advised me go on a city break.
- 3 When I spoke to Lisa, she said she is going to book he holiday that night.
- 4 Her parents told to her that she couldn't go camping the weekend.
- 5 The policeman asked that the students to be quiet.
- 6 Lewis advised to change our money before we left.