

Reported Speech I

I. Complete the sentences in reported speech.

1. He said, "I like this song."
→ He said
2. "Where is your sister?" she asked me.
→ She asked me
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3. "I don't speak Italian," she said.
→ She said
4. "Say hello to Jim," they said.
→ They asked me
5. "The film began at seven o'clock," he said.
→ He said
6. "Peter, do you prefer tea or coffee?" she says.
→ She asks Peter
7. "Where have you spent your money?" she asked him.
→ She asked him
8. "I never make mistakes," he said.
→ He said
9. "Does she know Robert?" he wanted to know.
→ He wanted to know
10. "Don't try this at home," the stuntman told the audience.
→ The stuntman advised the audience

II. Turn the following sentences into reported speech

- 1 Robin said, "These biscuits taste delicious."
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- 2 "I can't see you this afternoon because I've got a lot to do," Ann told me.
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- 3 Fiona said, "That picture was painted by my great grandmother."
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- 4 "The sun goes around the Earth!" Copernicus said.
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- 5 "I received a parcel this morning, but I haven't opened it yet," Tom said.
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- 6 "Can you speak English?", she asked
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- 7 "Is your hotel near here?", he asked.
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- 8 "Have you visited Buckingham Palace?", he asked.
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- 9 "Close the door."
He told
me.....
- 10 "Don't do that again!"
He told me
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