

Direct and Indirect Speech Worksheet – Class 5

Name: _____ Date: _____

A. Identify the Speech

Write **Direct** or **Indirect**.

1. Rahul said, "I am tired." _____
2. Meena said that she liked mangoes. _____
3. Father said, "The train is late." _____
4. The teacher said that the test was easy. _____
5. Anu said, "I have a new bag." _____
6. Ravi told me that he was busy. _____
7. Mother said, "Dinner is ready." _____
8. Sita said that she was going home. _____

B. Choose the Correct Answer

9. Which sentence is in Direct Speech?
a) Rohan said that he was happy. b) Rohan said, "I am happy." c) Rohan was happy.
10. Which sentence is in Indirect Speech?
a) Tina said, "I like books." b) Tina said that she liked books. c) Tina said, "I liked books."
11. Direct Speech usually uses:
a) brackets b) quotation marks c) commas only
12. In indirect speech, I usually changes according to the:
a) speaker b) listener c) place

C. Change Direct Speech into Indirect Speech

13. Ravi said, "I am hungry."

14. Neha said, "I like flowers."

15. Amit said, "I am going to school."

16. Mother said, "The food is ready."

17. Riya said, "I have a new pencil."

18. The boy said, "I am tired."

19. Father said, "I am busy."

20. Tina said, "I can swim."

D. Change Indirect Speech into Direct Speech

21. Rahul said that he was happy.

22. Anu said that she liked chocolate.

23. Mother said that dinner was ready.

24. Ravi said that he was going to the park.

25. The teacher said that the lesson was easy.

26. Meena said that she had a new book.

E. Complete the Sentences

27. Rohan said, "I am ill." → Rohan said that he _____ ill.

28. Sita said, "I like music." → Sita said that she _____ music.

29. Aman said, "I am ready." → Aman said that he _____ ready.

30. Priya said, "I have a doll." → Priya said that she _____ a doll.

31. Mohan said, "I can run fast." → Mohan said that he _____ run fast.

32. Mother said, "I am cooking." → Mother said that she _____ cooking.

F. Change the Pronouns

Rewrite each sentence correctly.

33. Riya said, "I am happy." → Riya said that _____ was happy.
34. Arjun said, "I have finished my work." → Arjun said that _____ had finished _____ work.
35. Neha said, "I love my school." → Neha said that _____ loved _____ school.
36. Rahul said, "I can help you." → Rahul said that _____ could help _____.

G. Change the Time Words

Use the correct word.

37. today → _____
38. tomorrow → _____
39. yesterday → _____
40. now → _____
41. here → _____

H. Mixed Practice

42. Direct: Sara said, "I am busy."
Indirect: _____
43. Indirect: Karan said that he was hungry.
Direct: _____
44. Direct: The girl said, "I like this dress."
Indirect: _____
45. Indirect: Mother said that she was tired.
Direct: _____
46. Direct: Amit said, "I will help you."
Indirect: _____
47. Indirect: Riya said that she could dance.
Direct: _____

I. Find and Correct the Mistake

48. Riya said that I was happy.
Correct: _____
49. Ravi said, that he was tired.
Correct: _____
50. Meena said "I like apples."
Correct: _____

51. Mother said that I am busy.

Correct: _____

J. Challenge

52. Change into Indirect Speech:

The teacher said, "I am proud of you."

53. Change into Indirect Speech:

Father said, "I will come tomorrow."

54. Change into Direct Speech:

Anu said that she was happy that day.

55. Change into Direct Speech:

Rohan said that he would visit me the next day.
