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ANSWER KEY	Topic: REPORTED SPEECH	Note: English Notebook

Exercise 1: Convert the sentences below into Indirect speech and rewrite them

1. Anu said to him, "The boys are not late."
Anu told him that the boys were not late.
2. She said, "I enjoy listening to music".
She said that she enjoyed listening to music.
3. Father said, "Reena has come."
Father said that Reena had come.
4. He said, "I like to read books."
He said that he liked to read books.
5. Mother said, "Bina had left."
Mother said that Bina had left.
6. Nisha said to him, "You are an intelligent boy."
Nisha told him that he was an intelligent boy.
7. The teacher said, "The students were late for class."
The teacher said that the students had been late for class.
8. The teacher said, "The boy was injured."
The teacher said that the boy had been injured.
9. Alok said to me, "Your parents are in the room."
Alok told me that my parents were in the room.
10. Mina said, "The packet has been distributed."
Mina said that the packet had been distributed.
11. Mitali said, "The plumber did the work well."
Mitali said that the plumber had done the work well.
12. Mohit said to her, "Your pen is new."
Mohit told her that her pen was new.
13. Piyush said, "Neha can come if she keeps well."
Piyush said that Neha could come if she kept well.

Exercise 2: Rewrite the following Declarative sentences in indirect speech

1. The vendor said to the customer, "I have sold all the apples but some oranges and bananas are left for you."
The vendor said to the customer that he had sold all the apples but some oranges and bananas were left for him.
2. Mr. Narang said to the mechanic, "I have a problem because I have to leave immediately and my car needs repair."
Mr. Narang told the mechanic that he had a problem because he had to leave immediately and his car needed repair.
3. She said to her friend, "I will invite Nalini also for dinner tomorrow."
She told her friend that she would invite Nalini also for dinner the next day.
4. Sagar said, "I will wait here for my parents."
Sagar said that he would wait there for his parents.
5. Aditi said to Ankit, "Your file is on the teacher's table."
Aditi told Ankit that his file was on the teacher's table.
6. Sohan said, "I went there last week."
Sohan said that he had gone there the previous week.
7. He said, "Rita bought this car a week ago".
He said that Rita had bought that car a week before.
8. She said, "The minister will inaugurate that bridge the next month".
She said that the minister would inaugurate that bridge the following month.
9. She said, "Ramesh will go to Goa tonight."
She said that Ramesh would go to Goa that night.
10. Heena said, "The weather is pleasant today."
Heena said that the weather was pleasant that day.

Exercise 3: Rewrite the following exclamatory sentences into indirect speech

1. The girl said, "Alas! We missed the flight."
The girl exclaimed with sorrow that they had missed the flight.
2. He said, "Hurrah! We have won the contest."
He exclaimed with joy that they had won the contest.
3. My friend said. "Yay! I scored the highest marks in Mathematics."
My friend exclaimed with joy that he had scored the highest marks in Mathematics.
4. Sabrina said, "Oh no! I lost my wallet."
Sabrina exclaimed with regret that she had lost her wallet.
5. Harish said to Nita, "Oh! I regret that you lost your grandma recently."
Harish exclaimed with sorrow that he regretted that Nita had lost her grandma recently.