



Direct vs Indirect Speech — Transform It

Grade 5

Name: _____

Rewrite each sentence as direct speech. Add quotation marks and change the words as needed.

Indirect: She said she was tired. → **Direct:** She said, "I am tired."

Example: Indirect: He told me he liked the food. → Direct: **He said, "I like the food."**

(1) Rewrite as direct speech: The scientist explained that water boiled at 100 degrees Celsius. 🧪

(2) Rewrite as direct speech: My friend told me that he would visit the museum next week. 🏛️

(3) Rewrite as direct speech: She remarked that the sun felt warm on her skin. ☀️

(4) Rewrite as direct speech: The news reporter announced that the team had won the championship. 🏆

(5) Rewrite as direct speech: My mom said that I needed to clean my room before dinner. 🗑️



(6) Rewrite as direct speech: He claimed that he had seen a shooting star last night. ✨

(7) Rewrite as direct speech: The tour guide mentioned that the ancient ruins were very old. 🗿

(8) Rewrite as direct speech: My sister whispered that she was planning a surprise party. 🎉

(9) Rewrite as direct speech: They explained that the library closed at five o'clock on Saturdays. 📖

(10) Rewrite as direct speech: The chef said that the soup tasted delicious. 🍲

