ADVANCED THE VERBS "TO SAY" AND "TO TELL"

With "say" we don't usually say who is told. With "tell" we usually say who is told.

She said (that) she would do it.

She told me (that) she would do it.

She said to me (that) she would do it.

ADVANCED REPORTED SPEECH

It is the way we use to report what someone previously said.

Direct speech Susan: I'm cold.

Reported speech \implies Susan said she was cold.

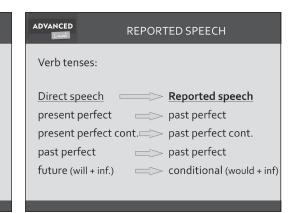
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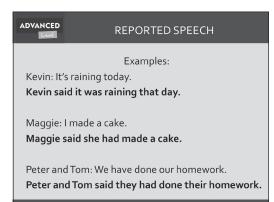
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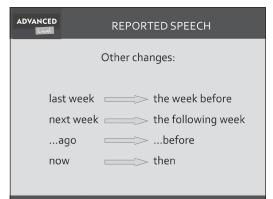


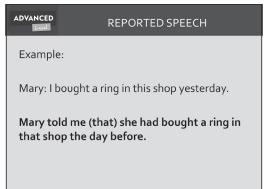












Elegir la respuesta correcta. Para ello hemos de transformar las oraciones sugeridas a estilo indirecto.

- 1 Peter: I will do it.
 - a. Peter told me he would do it.
 - b. Peter said me he would do it.
 - c. Peter told he would do it.
- 2 Susan: They have always drunk coffee.
 - a. Susan said that they have always drunk coffee.
 - b. Susan told that they had always drunk coffee.
 - c. Susan said that they had always drunk coffee.
- 3 Leo: I don't have to download these files.
 - a. Leo said me he didn't have to download those files.
 - b. Leo told me he didn't have to download those files.
 - c. Leo said I didn't have to download those files.
- 4 Paula: My sister will have to attend a meeting tomorrow.
 - a. Paula said her sister would have to attend a meeting the day before.
 - b. Paula said her sister would have to attend a meeting the next day.
 - c. Paula said her sister would has to attend a meeting the next day.
- 5 Anne: Pam was opening a new bank account.
 - a. Anne said that Pam was opening a new bank account.
 - b. Anne said that Pam have been opening a new bank account.
 - c. Anne said Pam had been opening a new bank account.





ADVANCED Level



- 6 Your neighbor: We are not going to class tomorrow.
 - a. My neighbor told me they were not going to class the following day.
 - b. My neighbor told they were not going to class the following day.
 - c. My neighbor said me they were not going to class the next day.
- John: I'm not sweating because I haven't been playing basketball.
 - a. John told me he wasn't sweating because he hasn't been playing basketball.
 - b. John said he wasn't sweating because he hadn't been playing basketball.
 - c. John said he wasn't sweating because he wasn't been playing basketball.
- 8 Linda: I had been there the week before.
 - a. Linda said she had been there the week before.
 - b. Linda said she has been there the week before.
 - c. Linda said she had been there a week ago.
- 9 Orson: Pat and Gustav aren't studying German now.
 - a. Orson said me Pat and Gustav weren't studying German then.
 - b. Orson told me Pat and Gustav weren't studying German then.
 - c. Orson told me Pat and Gustav hadn't been studying German before.
- Tom: I saw your mother four days ago.
 - a. Tom told me that he had seen my mother four days before.
 - b. Tom told me that he had seen his mother four days before.
 - c. Tom told me that he had seen my mother four days ago.

Soluciones: 1.- a) Peter told me he would do it. 2.- c) Susan said that they had always drunk coffee. 3.- b) Leo told me he didn't have to download those files. 4.- b) Paula said her sister would have to attend a meeting the next day. 5.- c) Anne said Pam had been opening a new bank account. 6.- a) My neighbor told me they were not going to class the following day. 7.- b) John said he wasn't sweating because he hadn't been playing basketball. 8.- a) Linda said she had been they were not going to class the following day. 7.- b) John said he wasn't sweating because he hadn't been playing basketball. 8.- a) Linda said she had been they meter told me Pat and Gustav weren't studying German then. 10.- a) Tom fold me that he had seen my mother four days before.