



Reported speech

**CHANGE THE SENTENCES
INTO INDIRECT SPEECH**

“Don’t read the text, Tom.”

The teacher tells Tom not to read the text.

1. “Let me carry the box.”

Jerry the box.

2. “Don’t move the chairs, please.”

The teacher the children the chairs.

3. “Don’t go there by car.”

Mrs Taylor her husband there by car.

4. “Invite all your friends to the party.”

Mother me friends to the party.

5. “Shall I buy some bread?”

Tom some bread.

6. “Let me answer the telephone.”

Nina the telephone.

7. “Shall I cut the bread?”

David the bread.

8. “Don’t ask me the question!”

Tom his little brother the question.

9. “Buy some apples, please.”

Mother me some apples.

10. “Don’t buy any oranges.”

Granny me any oranges.

126. Change the sentences to indirect speech.

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1. “Why are they late?”

The teacher wonders late.

2. "When is she busy?"
Tom wonders busy.
3. "Where is he from?"
Bill wonders from.
4. "When were they in France?"
The officer asks in France.
5. "How many chairs are there in the room?"
The teacher asks in the room.
6. "How old is he?"
Nelly wonders
7. "How old are you?"
They ask
8. "Where are you from?"
They ask
9. "When were you ill?"
She asks
10. "Why are you crying?"
He asks crying.

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1. "Why do they come late?"
My grandmother asks late.
2. "Why did they invite Pete?"
Tom asks Pete.
3. "When do they go to the country?"
Helen wonders to the country.
4. "When did they go to the country?"
She wonders to the country.
5. "Where does he come from?"
The pupils wonder from.