



English: 2Bac (All Streams)

Unit 7 (Citizenship)

Grammar : Reported Speech

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I- Course

<u>Present</u>	→	<u>Past</u>		<u>Past</u>	→	<u>Past Perfect</u>
am / is / are	⇒	was/ were		was/ were	⇒	had been
live / lives	⇒	lived		lived	⇒	had lived
take / takes	⇒	took		took	⇒	had taken
don't / doesn't	⇒	didn't		didn't take	⇒	hadn't taken

<u>Pronouns :</u>			<u>Modals :</u>		
I	⇒	he / she	can	⇒	could
we	⇒	they	may	⇒	might
my	⇒	his / her	will	⇒	would
our	⇒	their	must	⇒	had to

<u>Time Expressions:</u>			<u>Demonstratives :</u>		
now	⇒	then	this	⇒	that
today	⇒	the other day	these	⇒	those
yesterday	⇒	the previous day	here	⇒	there
last.....	⇒	the previous.....			
tomorrow	⇒	the following day			
next.....	⇒	the following			
..... ago	⇒	 before			

II- Statements

2-1/ Course

Example : Farid said: " I feel bad today."	→	Direct Speech
Farid said that he felt bad the other day.	→	Reported Speech

Direct Speech	→	Reported Speech
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- 1- omit the semicolon and quotation marks.
- 2- + that (optional)
- 3- change the pronouns
- 4- change the verb tense
- 5- change the time expression

2-2/ Practice

Rewrite the following sentences as suggested :

1. "It is raining in London now".

The weatherman said

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2. "I saw a great movie last night".

Loubna said

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3. "We have lived in Rabat for three years".

Anas and Nada said

4. "I will continue my education in Canada".

Najat told her classmates

5. "Mark will marry next summer".

Jack told his friends

6. "Jenny can't come to our party".

Pierre told his wife

7. "I met one of my old friends at the beach last summer".

Hamid said

8. "You must do the exercises on page 9".

Mr.Brown told his students

9. "My father went to Paris last month".

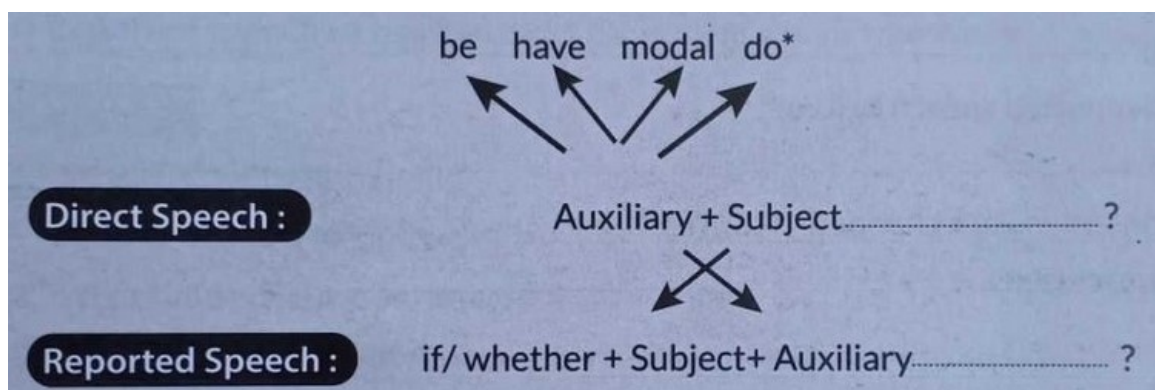
Imane said

10. "I'm not feeling well".

David said

III- Yes / No questions

3-1/ Course



Example

✓ Direct Speech :

"Is Lynda absent?"

✓ Reported speech : A teacher asked his students if Lynda was absent.

3-2/ Practice

1. "Can Mr.Smith come to the meeting ?"

The secretary asked

2. "Has Sarah been to Rabat before ?"

Reda wanted to know

3. "Are the children at home ?"

The man asked

4. "Is the teacher in class ?"

A student asked his friend

5. "Can you clean the board ?"

The teacher asked me

6. "Have you done well in the exam ?"

Nancy asked Paul

7. "Is the lesson difficult ?"

The teacher asked

8. "Have you finished the housework ?"

The mother asked her daughter

9. "Do you enjoy watching football on TV ?"

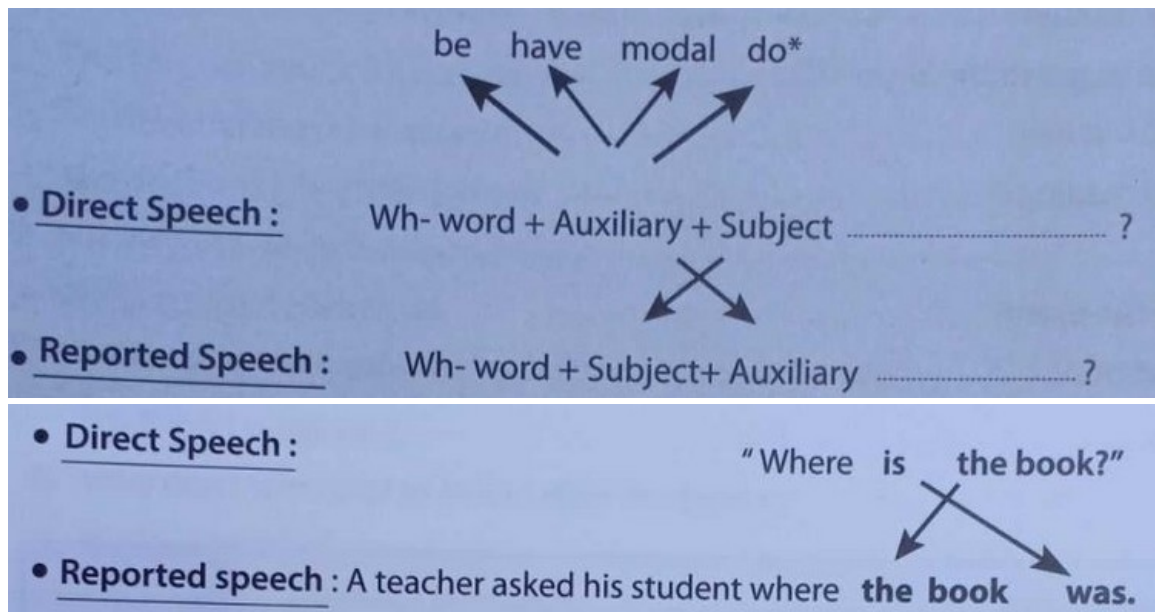
My friend asked me

10. "Does Sara have a job ?"

Ali asked

IV- Wh- questions

4-1/ Course



4-2/ Practice

1. "Where is the train station ?"

A tourist wanted to know

2. "What time will the train arrive ?"

A passenger wondered

3. "Why do you hate me ?"

Kamal asked Zineb

4. "How much money do you need ?"

The father asked his daughter

5. "How does your friend like coffee ?"

The waiter asked me

6. "How often do you watch TV ?"

My friend asked me

7. "What will you do after class ?"

Nabil asked Nabila

8. "What can I do to pass the exam ?"

Nada asked

9. "Where did you go the last summer ?"

Noura asked Reda

10. "Which lesson did the teacher explain yesterday ?"

A student asked his classmate

V- Commands

5-1/ Course

<u>Direct Speech</u>		<u>Reported Speech</u>
• <u>Affirmative</u> : infinitive	→	to + infinitive.....
• <u>Negative</u> : don't + infinitive.....	→	not to + infinitive

• <u>Affirmative</u> : " keep quiet."	A teacher asked his students to keep quiet.
• <u>Negative</u> : " Don't make noise."	A teacher asked his students not to make noise.

5-2/ Practice

1. "Drive slowly."

Mr.John told his son

2. "Don't forget to buy some apples".

The woman told her husband

3. "Please help me with the homework"

Youness asked his sister

4. "Don't be late for the meeting"

The manager reminded the workers

5. "Watch out!"

The sign warned the drivers

5-3/ Exceptions

1. "You should revise your lessons well"

The teacher advised his students

2. "You'd better exercise every day".

The doctor advised the patient

3. "Why don't you go home and relax."

Nada advised her friend

4. "You shouldn't eat too much at night".

He advised his son

5. "Let's study English!"

My friend suggested

6. "Why don't we travel to Marti! after the Exams."

Huda suggested
