

Reported Speech — Quiz #1

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MCQ 1. He _____ he wouldn't be able to sleep until he had finished the homework.

- a. said
- b. asked
- c. told
- d. say

MCQ 2. Amira _____ her sister that she was going to the library to study.

- a. told
- b. said
- c. asked
- d. ordered

MCQ 3. I _____ the shop assistant if the shirt was cheaper, I would take it immediately.

- a. asked
- b. told
- c. advised
- d. said

MCQ 4. I didn't know _____ the shop was shut or not.

- a. whether
- b. that
- c. why
- d. unless

MCQ 5. Yara asked the tourist _____ he came from.

- a. where
- b. when
- c. that
- d. if

MCQ 6. Hazem asked _____ he could leave the lesson early.

- a. whether
- b. that
- c. weather
- d. to

MCQ 7. The manager asked the secretary _____ the letter the previous week.

- a. if she had sent
- b. did you send
- c. have you sent
- d. if she has sent

MCQ 8. Emad told me that he had bought his car three years _____ .

- a. before
- b. then
- c. ago
- d. after

MCQ 9. Karima told me that she _____ Arabic then.

- a. was studying
- b. studied
- c. is studying
- d. had studied

MCQ 10. Essam asked me if _____ to the club the day before.

- a. I had gone
- b. had I gone
- c. did I go
- d. I will go

MCQ 11. I asked him what _____ reading.

- a. he was
- b. was he
- c. is he
- d. he is

MCQ 12. Sama said that she _____ her aunt the following day.

- a. would visit
- b. will visit
- c. visited
- d. visits

MCQ 13. I _____ Sama what she was doing.

- a. asked
- b. wondered
- c. said to
- d. inquired

MCQ 14. I didn't ask her _____ she would come shopping with us. I forgot doing so.

- a. if
- b. weather
- c. that
- d. what

MCQ 15. I'd like to know _____ he lives.

- a. where
- b. what
- c. about
- d. when

MCQ 16. "We want you to help us, please" - Mustafa said that they wanted _____ to help them.

- a. us
- b. we
- c. they
- d. our

MCQ 17. Rodayna told Ahmed that _____ new dress was expensive.

- a. her
- b. his
- c. hers
- d. mine

MCQ 18. She explained that she couldn't come because her father was ill _____ .

- a. that day
 - b. by then
 - c. this day
 - d. today
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MCQ 19. My wife replied that she was preparing lunch _____ .

- a. then
 - b. at this moment
 - c. now
 - d. by then
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MCQ 20. Ahmed said he would travel abroad the month _____ .

- a. following
 - b. previous
 - c. after
 - d. before
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MCQ 21. Ayman told his wife that he had visited Aswan _____ .

- a. the day before
 - b. yesterday
 - c. the next day
 - d. then
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MCQ 22. Omar said that his favourite drink _____ orange juice.

- a. was
 - b. was being
 - c. has been
 - d. will be
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MCQ 23. Walid said he _____ me late the night after.

- a. would phone
 - b. phoned
 - c. had phoned
 - d. will phone
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MCQ 24. My mother said that she _____ the medicine twice a day.

- a. takes
 - b. will take
 - c. has taken
 - d. took
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MCQ 25. Mr Mohammed told me that he _____ to London the day after.

- a. was travelling
 - b. had travelled
 - c. travelled
 - d. will travel
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MCQ 26. She said that she _____ go to the club that Friday.

- a. couldn't
 - b. doesn't
 - c. won't
 - d. can't
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MCQ 27. Amr _____ if he had had more-free time, he would have joined a club.

- a. said
 - b. asked
 - c. wondered
 - d. advised
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MCQ 28. The teacher said that it was time we _____ our lessons successfully.

- a. finished
 - b. had finished
 - c. was finished
 - d. finish
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MCQ 29. "It _____ true that I work too hard," she said.

- a. is
 - b. to be
 - c. was
 - d. has
-

MCQ 30. The teacher suggested that _____ the exercise again.

- a. we do
 - b. we are doing
 - c. doing
 - d. did we
-

MCQ 31. Samy has just said that he _____ his job.

- a. will leave
 - b. leave
 - c. would leave
 - d. was leaving
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MCQ 32. Seham said that Cairo _____ the capital of Egypt.

- a. is
 - b. has been
 - c. had been
 - d. was being
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MCQ 33. ****SB**** Can you tell me where _____?

- a. the hospital is
 - b. is the hospital
 - c. has the hospital
 - d. was the hospital
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MCQ 34. She said, "I _____ anyone until I have finished".

- a. won't see
 - b. didn't see
 - c. wouldn't see
 - d. hadn't seen
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MCQ 35. Rodayna _____ Aya was busy making some cakes.

- a. said
 - b. asks
 - c. said to
 - d. told
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MCQ 36. My sister _____ that I had broken her tablet.

- a. complained
 - b. asked
 - c. suggested
 - d. told
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MCQ 37. She said _____ wanted me to lend her my camera.

- a. she
 - b. I
 - c. we
 - d. that
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MCQ 38. "The black car is mine". - He said the black car was _____ .

- a. his
 - b. him
 - c. mine
 - d. my
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MCQ 39. My friend wonders whether I am travelling _____ .

- a. tomorrow
 - b. the day after
 - c. then
 - d. ago
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MCQ 40. Amir says he _____ working for a computer repair company at present.

- a. is
 - b. had been
 - c. was
 - d. has been
-

MCQ 41. He said just now that he _____ a new car next year.

- a. is buying
 - b. had bought
 - c. bought
 - d. would buy
-

MCQ 42. She says she _____ for a mechanic as her car has broken down.

- a. has to look
- b. looked
- c. had looked
- d. had to look

MCQ 43. "I invite you to my birthday". He tells me he _____ me to his birthday.

- a. invites
- b. was inviting
- c. would invite
- d. had invited

MCQ 44. Our teacher said that the earth _____ around the sun.

- a. goes
- b. had gone
- c. will go
- d. go

MCQ 45. My mother wants to know where _____ at the moment.

- a. I am
- b. I was
- c. am I
- d. was I

MCQ 46. The boys said they _____ a holiday the week after.

- a. were having
- b. have had
- c. had
- d. have

MCQ 47. "You must study hard this year". - Mum told me that I _____ study hard that year.

- a. would have to
- b. must
- c. must have
- d. have to

MCQ

48. "It is time you went to bed.", said mum. How do you report this sentence?

- a. Mum said that it was time I went to bed.
- b. Mum said that it was time I had gone to bed.
- c. Mum says that it was time I went to bed.
- d. Mum said that it was time I go to bed.

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49. "You'd better depend on yourself." My father said that _____ on myself.

- a. I'd better depend
- b. I would better depend
- c. I had better depended
- d. I had had better depend

MCQ

50. "Can you help me, please ?" Sohaila _____

- a. asked me to help her.
- b. said that I could help her.
- c. asked if could I help her.
- d. asked if I could help her please.

MCQ

51. "Let's go for a walk." Hana _____ for a walk.

- a. suggested going
- b. said let's go
- c. said let them go
- d. wanted me to let them go

MCQ

52. "If I were you, I'd see another doctor." Omar _____

- a. advised me to see another doctor.
- b. said if he were me, he'd seen another doctor.
- c. said if I were you, I would see a doctor.
- d. ordered me to see another doctor.

MCQ

53. "Can I leave now or wait for Ali ?" Abdu _____ for Ali.

- a. wondered whether to leave then or wait
- b. asked if he could leave then or waited
- c. wondered whether to leave now or waited
- d. asked to leave then or waiting

54. "Do you like fish, Sama?" I _____ fish.

- a. asked Sama whether she liked
 - b. asked Sama whether did she like
 - c. asked Sama whether to like
 - d. wondered whether did Sama liked
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