

**PARAGON CONVENT SCHOOL, SECTOR 24B, CHANDIGARH.**

**CLASS- VI (GRAMMAR)**

**CHAPTER- 16 DIRECT AND INDIRECT SPEECH**

**TEXTBOOK WORK**

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**A. Identify the reported verb and reported speech**

2. **RV:** said

**RS:** "How was the party today?"

3. **RV:** said

**RS:** "My grandfather was a freedom fighter."

4. **RV:** said

**RS:** "I have scored good marks."

5. **RV:** said

**RS:** "Come at 5 in the morning for practice."

6. **RV:** sighed

**RS:** "I will win a prize one day."

**B. Rewrite the sentences using appropriate punctuation marks**

2. Mr. John said to me, "You should exercise regularly."

3. The mother said to her son, "Go to your room and do your work."

4. The boss said to the officer, "You have been promoted."

5. Julia said, "I will work hard for my exams."

6. She said, "It's not the thing, but the thought that counts."

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**C. Convert the following into indirect speech**

1. My father says that it is important to save water.

2. Sukanya says that anyone can help.

3. The farmer says that the harvest has been very good this year.

4. The priest will say that God cares for us.
5. The judge will say that the innocent cannot be punished.
6. Subodh will say that the team has played very well.
7. Sudhanshu said that lunch would be served on the dining table.
8. The woman said that all is well.

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**D. Convert the following into indirect speech**

1. The boy said that he had written a new story.
2. I said that I stayed with my grandparents.
3. Ila said that she had prepared all the students for the competition.
4. The cops said that they were trying to catch the thief.
5. The boy said that the girl had briefed him about the problem.
6. Prerna said that she was painting her room.

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**E. Convert the following into indirect speech**

1. Raghu told me that I would become a good teacher.
2. I told Harry that Gauri was waving at him.
3. Punita told you that you had not cut your nails.
4. I told them that someone wanted to meet them.
5. I told the monitor that he had not checked Vrinda's uniform.
6. Marynn told me that my eyes were very beautiful.

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**F. Convert the following into indirect speech**

1. I said that Mr. Kapoor was a very busy person.
2. Ravi said that his planning was foolproof.
3. Ranbeer said that all the students admired him.
4. Sameer said that he knew his plans well.
5. Subarna said that Sunil was their mentor.

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**G. Convert the following into indirect speech**

2. You told Ajay that Preeti could not lend him her car that day.

3. Ali said that he was leaving for Mumbai that night.
4. Umesh told his father that he needed some paper to print.
5. Rahem told me that he should return my money soon.

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**H. Convert the following into indirect speech**

2. I asked him if he would play with me.
3. Sunil asked the fruit seller if those mangoes were ripped.
4. Sunita asked Ashok where his pet had gone.
5. Maria asked the teacher if she might come in.
6. The passenger asked the driver how far the village was.

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**I. Convert the following into indirect speech**

1. Richa advised Ritika to go for a walk daily.
2. The manager ordered the attendant to bring him a cup of hot coffee.
3. Vishal requested Savita to show him her sports kit.
4. The manager requested me not to waste water.
5. The teacher advised the students to keep their notebooks safe.
6. the man warned me not to touch the electric pole.

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**J. Complete the conversation**

Kanishk asked Richa if she would come to play with him.

Richa replied that yes but he had to ask her mother.

Kanishk said that Akshay and Radhika were also with him and they were waiting for her.

