

viii Eng Lang
Multiple Choice Questions (MCQs)
(for 3rd Term)
CLASS: VIII
SUBJECT: ENGLISH LANGUAGE

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Chapter – 10

Reported Speech :

- Question 1) The conjunction _____ is placed after the reporting verb.
(a) that (b) the
- Question 2) He said to me, "I won't trouble you." Change in reported speech.
(a) He told me he wouldn't trouble me.
(b) He said I will not trouble you
- Question 3) The sign of exclamation is changed into a _____.
(a) full stop (b) comma
- Question 4) Kiran asked me, "Did you see the Cricket match on television last night?"
(a) Kiran asked me did I see the cricket match on television the last night.
(b) Kiran asked me whether I had seen the cricket match on television the last night.
- Question 5) David said to Anna, "Mona will leave for her native place tomorrow."
(a) David told Anna that Mona would leave for her native place the next day
(b) David told Anna that Mona left for her native place the next day
- Question 6) I said to him, "Why are you working so hard?"
(a) I asked him why he was working so hard.
(b) I asked him why had he been working so hard.
- Question 7) He said to her, "What a cold day!"
(a) He told her that it was a cold day
(b) He exclaimed that it was a very cold day.
- Question 8) The tailor said to him, "Will you have the suit ready by tomorrow evening?"
(a) The tailor asked him that he would had the suit ready by the next evening.
(b) The tailor asked him if he would have the suit ready by the next evening.
- Question 9) The chief minister said, "What a disaster the earthquake is!"
(a) The chief minister cried that the earthquake was a terrible disaster.
(b) The chief minister exclaimed with sorrow that the earthquake was a terrible disaster.
- Question 10) Socrates said, "Virtue is its own reward."
(a) Socrates said that virtue is its own reward.
(b) Socrates said that virtue was its own reward.
- Question 11) "How long does the journey take" my co-passenger asked me.
(a) My co-passenger asked me how long does the journey take?
(b) My co-passenger asked me how long the journey did take.
- Question 12) Rahul said, "I will do it now or never."
(a) Rahul said that he will do it now or never.
(b) Rahul said that he would do it then or never.
- Question 13) He said, "How cruel of him!"
(a) He remarked that it was very cruel of him.
(b) He remarked on his great cruelty .
- Question 14) He said, "Long may you live."
(a) He prayed that my life might be long. (b) He prayed that my life may be longer.
- Question 15) My friend said, "I am leaving today."
(a) My friend said that he is leaving today.
(b) My friend said that he was leaving that day.
- Question 16) "I shall unlock the secrets of their success." He said.
(a) He said that he should unlock the secret of their success.
(b) He said that he would unlock the secrets of their success.
- Question 17) "What kind of scheme do you have?" Amit asked the insurance agent.
(a) Amit asked the insurance agent what kind of scheme he/she had.
(b) Amit asked the insurance agent what kind of scheme he/she was.
- Question 18) My principal told me, "Don't conduct any test tomorrow."
(a) My Principal told me not to conduct any test tomorrow.
(b) My Principal ordered me not to conduct any text the next day.
- Question 19) She said to Rita, "Please help me with my homework."
(a) She requested Rita to help her in her homework.
(b) She requested Rita to help her with her homework.
- Question 20) She said, "I work in a hospital."
(a) She said that she worked in a hospital. (b) She said that she work in a hospital.
- Question 21) They said, "We play football,"
(a) They said that they played football. (b) They said that they play football.
- Question 22) He said, "I love my parents."
(a) He said that he love his parents. (b) He said that he loved his parents.
- Question 23) She said, "I don't waste time."
(a) She said that she didn't waste time. (b) She told me she didn't waste her time.
- Question 24) She said, "I always drink tea."
(a) She said that she always drank tea. (b) She said that she always drink tea.
- Question 25) He said, "I write a letter."
(a) He said that he written a letter. (b) He said that he wrote a letter.

