

Direct and Indirect Speech

① Boys said, "It has been raining since morning. We can not play today."

Boys said that it had been raining since morning. They could not play that day.

② She said to him, "I am leaving now and shall return after two hours."

She told him that she was leaving then and would return after two hours.

③ The girl has to me, "My father went to the market and brought toys for me."

The girl has told that her father went to the market and brought toys for her.

④ Her husband said to her, "I shall not go to the office today as I am not feeling well."

Her husband told her that she should not go to the office today as she was not feeling well.

My father has ^{said} to me, ⁽⁵⁾ "I fear that you have caught cold again."

My father has told me that he feared that I had caught cold again.

His brother said to me, ⁽⁶⁾ "I am not going to attend meeting today."

His brother told me that he was not going to attend meeting that day.

The inspector said to the people, ⁽⁷⁾ "We have caught the thief and he will be brought to book soon."

The inspector told the people that they had caught the thief and he would be brought to book soon.

The lady said to her husband, ⁽⁸⁾ "Whether you agreed with me or not I am not going to change my decision."

The lady asked her husband whether he agreed with her or not she was not going to change her decision.

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The landlord has said to the young man
"If you don't pay your rent by evening
today you will have to leave the house
immediately."

The landlord has ~~asked~~ told the young man
that if he don't pay his rent by evening
today he will have to leave the house
immediately.

10
His wife said to him, "Do you know that
my servant stole our money?"

His wife asked him if he knows that her
servant stole their money.

11
Her friend said to her, "Can you spare
your book for me for a week?"

Her friend asked her if she could spare
her book for her for a week.

12
His friend has said to him, "Did I not
warn you against this beforehand?"

His friend asked him if he had not warned
him against that beforehand.

(13)

The captain said to the players, "Will you put your heart and soul in playing the game so that we may win the match?"

The captain asked the players would they put their heart and soul in playing game so that they might win the match.