

2016 dialogue

→ Rewrite the following dialogue, written in indirect speech, in a paragraph form.

Helen: Mr West, what's happened to John?

Mr. West: He's left the company

Helen: Why has he done that?

Mr. West: He asked me for a rise but I didn't give it to him.

Helen: Why didn't you give him a rise?

Mr. West: Because he was lazy.

Helen: Has he found another job?

Mr. West: Yes, he is working in a film company.

Helen: What is his salary like?

Mr. West: I think he earns quite a lot.

Helen: Does he like the new job?

Mr. West: I don't know.

Helen inquired about Mr. West's disappearance, from Mr. West who replied that he had left the company. She asked why he had done so and to which Mr. West responded that John had demanded for a salary increase which he declined. Helen asked Mr. West why he refused John's request upon which he gave the reason that John had been lazy. Helen then asked Mr. West if John had found another job and he replied in the affirmative saying that he had joined a film company. Helen further asked two questions from Mr. West, about what John's pay in the new company looked like and whether he liked the new job. Mr. West responded that he earned substantially and was not aware of her second question's response.

Use alternative words like inquired

Responded

Rephrase it, do not change the essence

Sentence correction, 2016 past paper

ii) She recommended ^{under} me that I take a few days off from work.

ii) She recommended that I ~~take~~ ^{me to take} a few days off from work.

iii) I tried to explain him the problem, but he had difficulty understanding me.

iii) I ~~tried explaining~~ ^{I tried to explain him the problem} him the problem, but he had difficulty understanding it.

vi) I don't know why you didn't go. If I were you, I should have gone.

vi) I don't know why you didn't go. If I were you, I would have gone.

vii) Kevin says he stopped to travel internationally because of his family.

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