

Direct / Indirect

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

Boys told that ~~it~~ had been raining since morning. ~~They~~ could not play ~~today~~ that day.

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

She told him that ~~I~~ was leaving and should return after two hours.

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

The girl told me that her father had been ~~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 he should not go to the office ~~today~~ as he was not feeling well.

5. My father has said to me, "I fear that you have caught cold again."

My father ~~has~~ told me that he fears ~~ed~~ that I have ~~d~~ caught cold again.

6. His brother said to me "I am not going to attend the meeting today."

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

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

The ~~inspector~~ told the people that they had ~~caught~~ been brought to book soon.

8. The lady said to her husband, "Whether you agree with me or not I am not going to change my decision." The lady told her husband that whether he agreed with her or not she was not going to change her decision.

The landlord has said to the young man, "If you do not pay your rent by evening today you will have to leave the house immediately."

The landlord has told the young man that if he ~~does~~ not pay his rent by evening ~~today~~ he will have to leave the house immediately. would