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CLASS 10th ENGLISH

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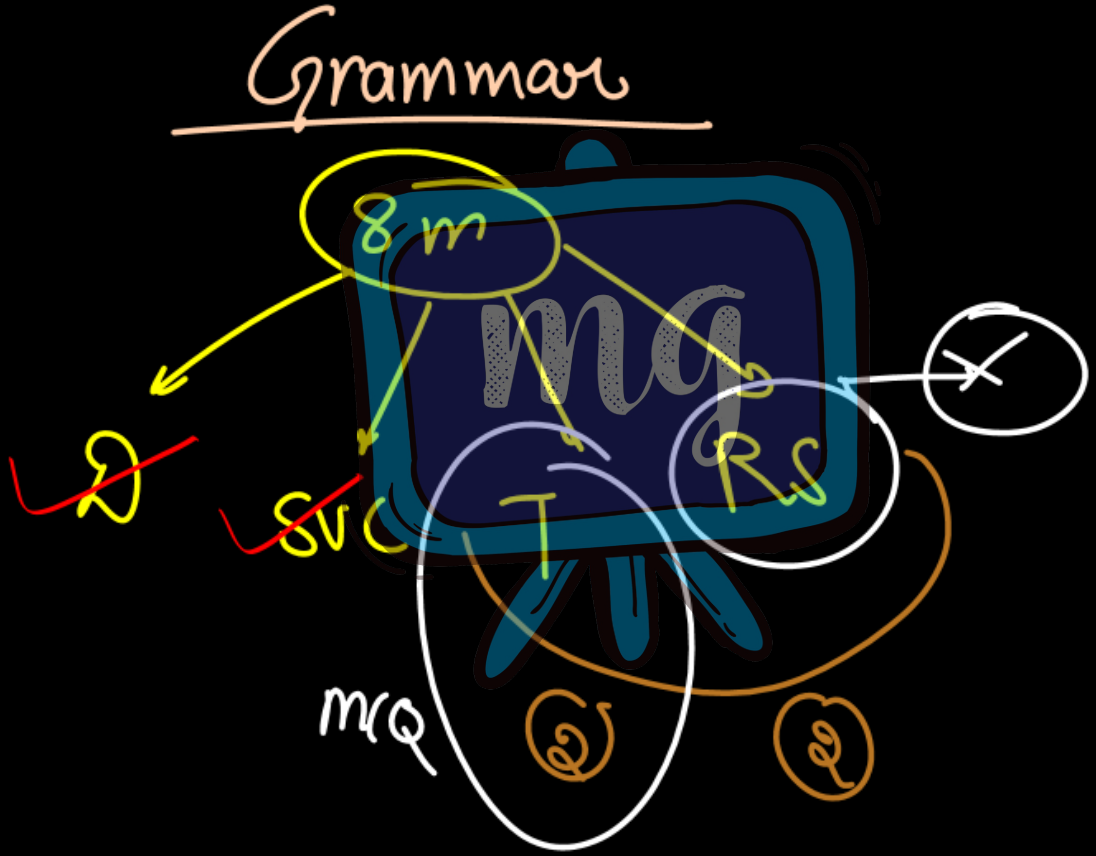


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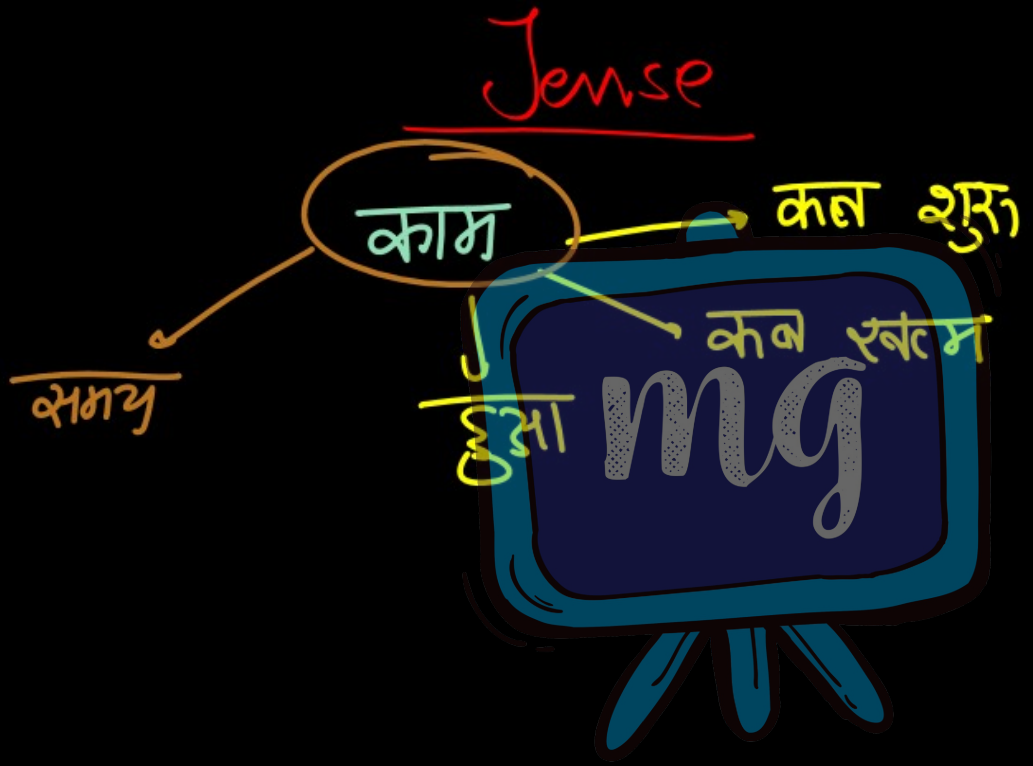
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Grammar



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TENSES

Tense indicates the time of an action and its state of completion.

Tense	Key Time Indicators (Keywords)	Verb Form/ Structure	Example Sentence
Simple Present	always, usually, daily, everyday, often, seldom, universal truths	V_1 / V_1 + {s/es}	The Sun rises in the east.
Present Continuous	now, at present, at this moment, look!, listen!	{is/am/are} + V_1 + {ing}	Look! She is dancing on the stage.
Present Perfect	already, just, yet, recently, so far	{has/have} + V_3	He has already finished his homework.

Tense	Key Time Indicators (Keywords)	Verb Form/ Structure	Example Sentence
Present Perfect Cont.	since, for + time (without past context)	{has/have} + {been} + V_1 + {ing}	It has been raining since morning.
Simple Past	yesterday, ago, last week/year, in 2020	V_2 (Negative/Question: {did} + V_1)	She visited Jaipur last week.
Past Continuous	while, when, at that time, those days	{was/were} + V_1 + {ing}	While I was reading, the light went out.
Past Perfect	before, after (linking two past actions)	{had} + V_3 (Action 1)/ V_2 (Action 2)	The train had left before we reached.
Simple Future	tomorrow, next week/month, soon	{will/shall} + V_1	We shall play a match tomorrow.

Future cont. will + be + V1 + ing I will be going.

Future perfect will + have + V3 I will have gone.

F PC will + have + been + V1 + ing I will have been going by then.



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Directions : Choose the correct option to fill in the blank.

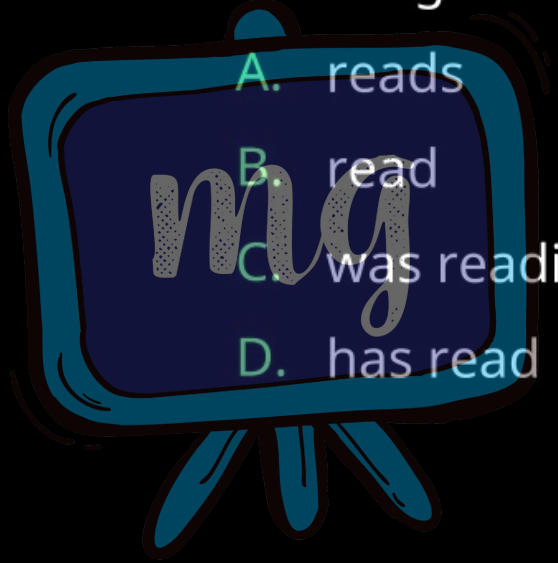
boys play
boy plays

1. Water boils at 100 degrees Celsius.

A. boil
B. boils
C. boiled
D. is boiling

2. My father _____ a newspaper every morning.

A. reads
B. read
C. was reading
D. has read



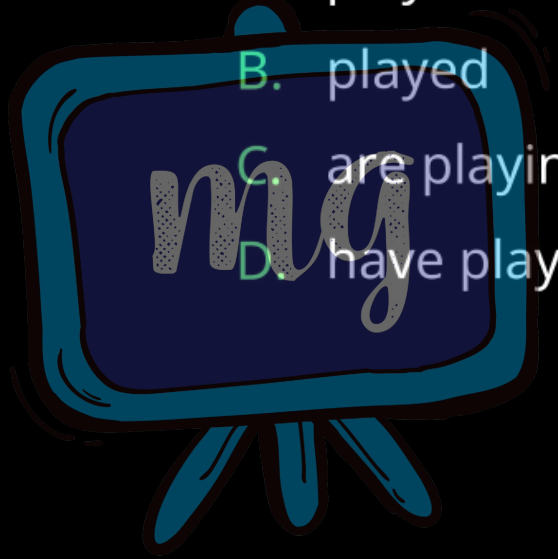
3. Look! The boys _____ in the ground.

A. play

B. played

C. are playing

D. have played



has completed

4. She _____ her homework just now.

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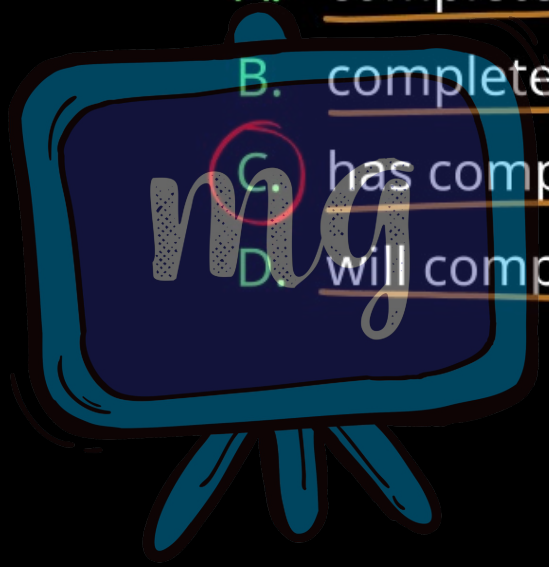
A. completes

B. completed

C. has completed

D. will complete





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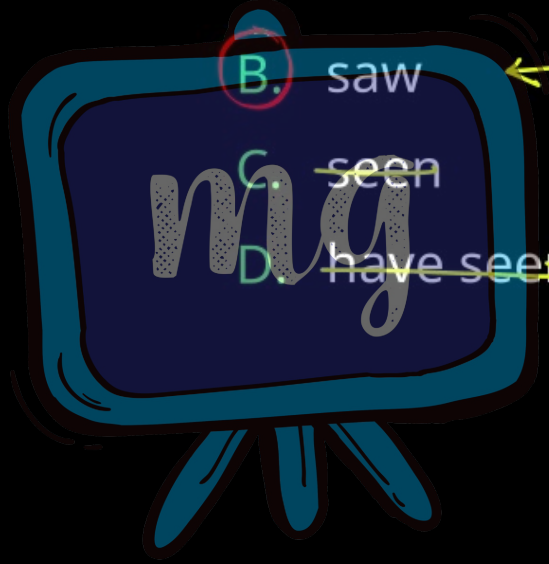
5. I Saw a beautiful bird yesterday.

A. ~~see~~ V1 X

B. saw

C. ~~seen~~

D. ~~have seen~~

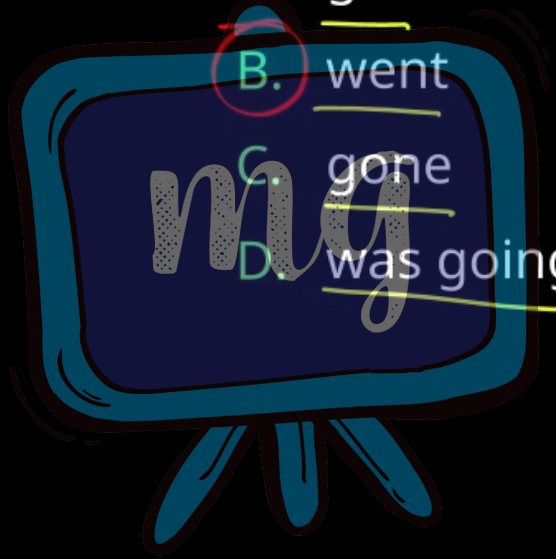


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6. My uncle went to Delhi last night.

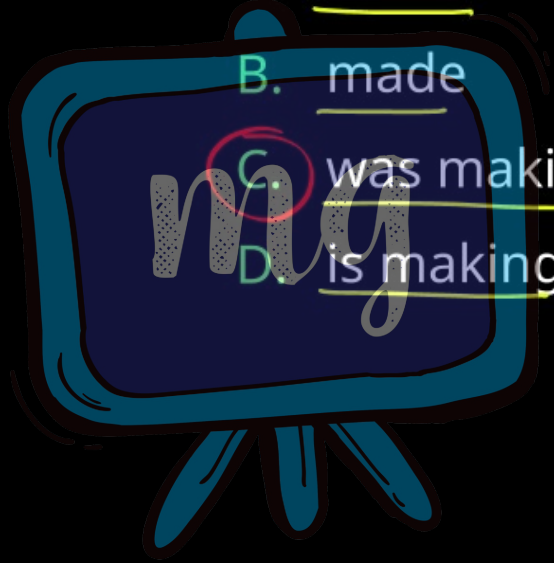
A. go
B. went
C. gone
D. was going



was making

7. While she _____ tea, her brother arrived.

A. makes
B. made
C. was making
D. is making



had died

8. The patient _____ before the doctor came.

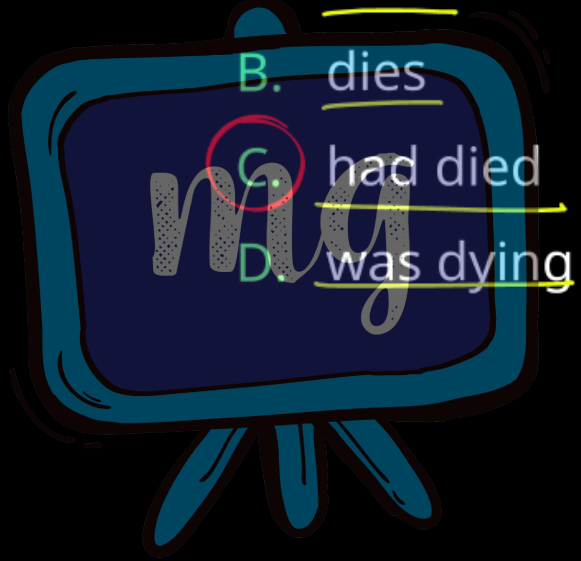
V2

A. died

B. dies

C. had died

D. was dying



has been raining

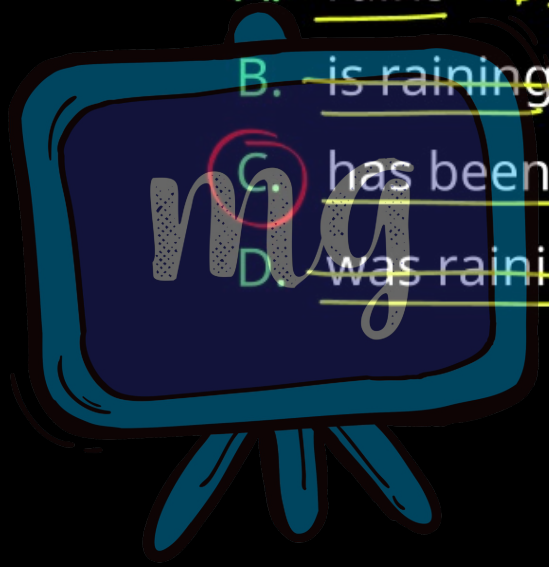
9. It _____ since 8 o'clock this morning.

A. rains

B. is raining

C. has been raining

D. was raining



will visit

10. We _____ Jaipur tomorrow morning.

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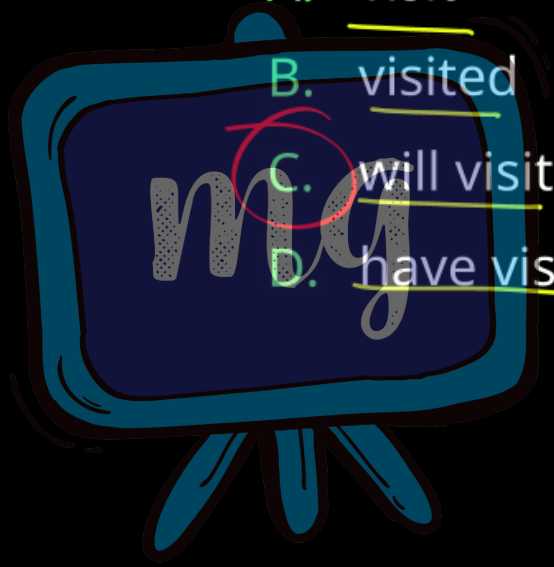
future

A. visit

B. visited

C. will visit

D. have visited



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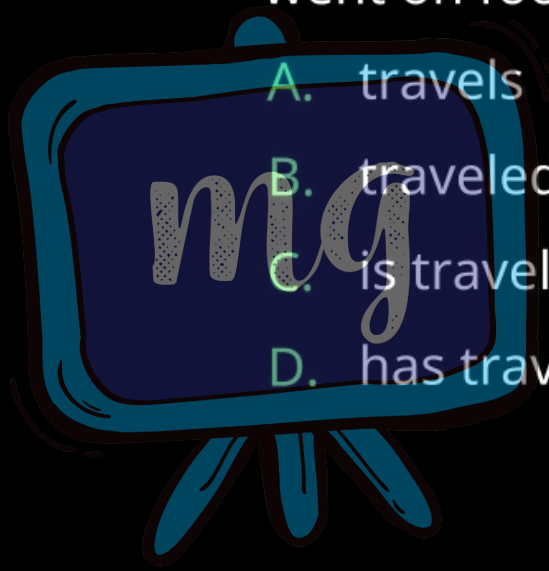
11. He usually _____ by bus, but today he went on foot.

A. travels

B. traveled

C. is traveling

D. has traveled



HW

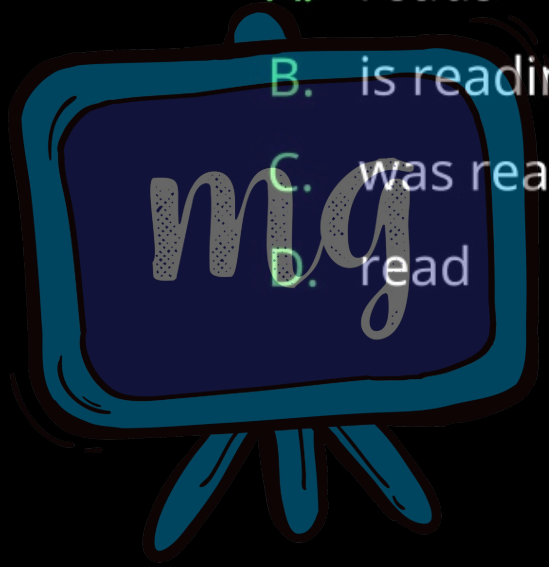
12. When I saw him, he _____ a book.

A. reads

B. is reading

C. was reading

D. read



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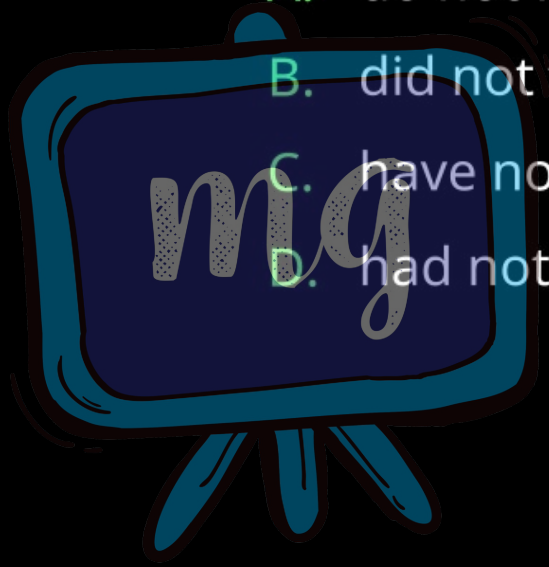
HW
13. They _____ their project yet.

A. do not finish

B. did not finish

C. have not finished

D. had not finished



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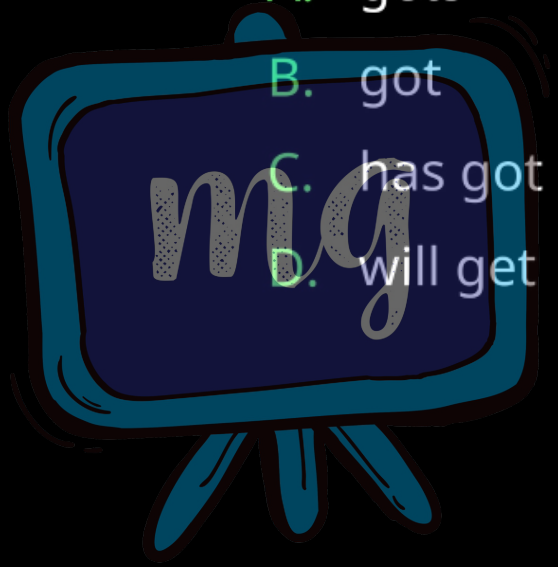
14. India _____ freedom in 1947.

A. gets

B. got

C. has got

D. will get



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अगर सर्दी → भविष्य
Shall stop

15. If it rains, we _____ the match.

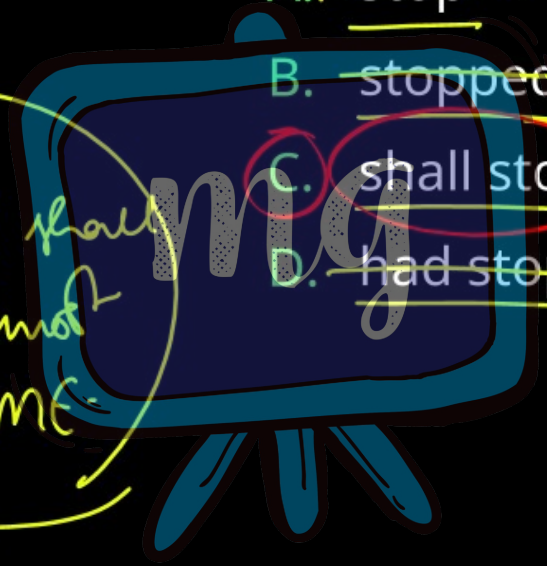
A. stop

B. stopped

C. shall stop

D. had stopped

Will and shall are almost SAME



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Reported Speech (Direct & Indirect)

Reported speech is used to convey what someone else said without using their exact words.

Rules/Changes	Direct Speech	Indirect Speech
Reporting Verb (Assertive)	said to → told	He said to me → He told me
Conjunctions	Assertive : that Interrogative : if/whether (or wh- word) Imperative : to	–
Tense Change (Present → Past)	$V_1 \rightarrow V_2$ {is/am/are} → {was/were} {has/have} → {had} V_2 → {had} + V_3	Present Simple becomes Past Simple, etc.

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Maya said "I want a coffee."

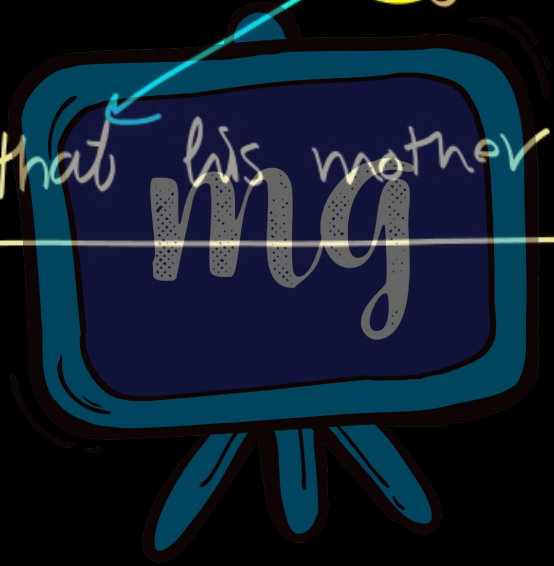
V2

Maya said that she wanted a coffee



Soham said to me "My mom is cooking."

Soham told me that his mother was cooking.



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is / am / are → was / were

has / have → had

V1 → V2

V2 → had + V3

had → had



Rules/Changes	Direct Speech	Indirect Speech
No Tense Change	Universal truths, habits, or when reporting verb is in present/future	*"The earth is round." → that the earth is round.*
Pronoun Changes	S-O-N Rule : 1st Person → Subject 2nd Person → Object 3rd Person → No Change	–
Time/Place Words	this → that now → then today → that day tomorrow → the next day	–

Directions : Choose the correct indirect speech transformation.

1. Ramesh said to me, "I am going to market."

   A. Ramesh told me that he is going to market.

   B. Ramesh told me that he was going to market.

   C. Ramesh said to me that I was going to market.

   D. Ramesh told me that I am going to market.

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2. The teacher said, "The earth revolves around the sun."

A. The teacher said that the earth revolved around the sun.

B. The teacher said that the earth revolves around the sun.

C. The teacher told that the earth is revolving around the sun.

D. The teacher said that the earth will revolve around the sun.

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3. She said to him, "What are you doing?"

A. She asked him what he was doing.

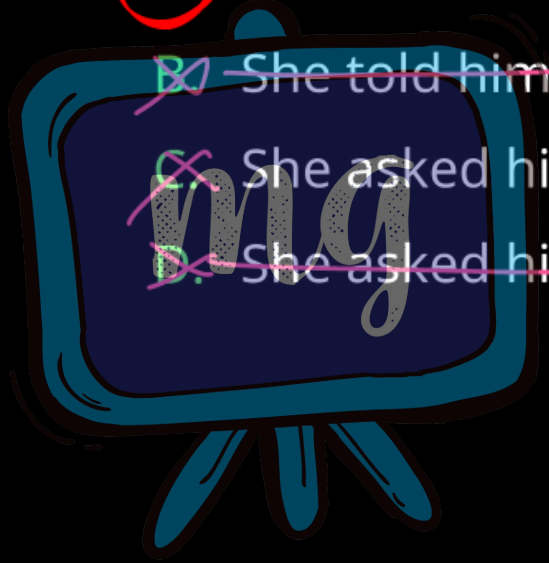
B. She told him what he was doing.

C. She asked him what was he doing.

D. She asked him that what he was doing.

Y/No → if

wh → wh



asked if

4. He said to her, "Do you know my name?"

A. He told her if she knew his name.

B. He asked her if she knew his name.

C. He asked her ~~that~~ if she knows his name.

D. He asked her do she know his name.

if

advise
command
request

5. The doctor said to the patient, "Take this medicine regularly."

A. The doctor asked the patient to take that medicine regularly.

B. The doctor advised the patient to take that medicine regularly.

C. The doctor told the patient take that medicine regularly.

D. The doctor ordered the patient taking this medicine regularly.

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6. Mohan said, "I have passed the examination."

A. Mohan said that he has passed the examination.

B. Mohan said that he had passed the examination.

C. Mohan told that he had passed the examination.

D. Mohan said that I had passed the examination.

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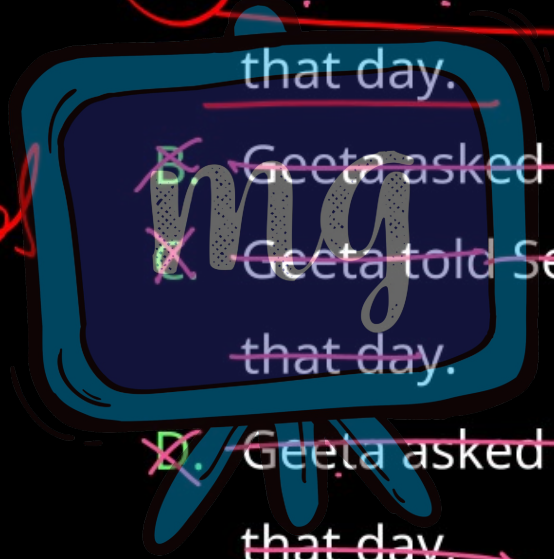
7. Geeta said to Seeta, "Will you help me today?"

A. Geeta asked Seeta if she would help her that day.

B. ~~Geeta asked Seeta will she help her today.~~

C. ~~Geeta told Seeta that she would help her that day.~~

D. ~~Geeta asked Seeta if she will help her that day.~~



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he had

8. He said, "Alas! I have lost my purse."

A. He exclaimed with sadness that he lost his purse.

exclaimed.

B. He exclaimed with sorrow that he had lost his purse.

C. He said with sorrow that he has lost his purse.

D. He exclaimed with sorrow that I had lost my purse.

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9. My mother said to me, "Don't waste your time."

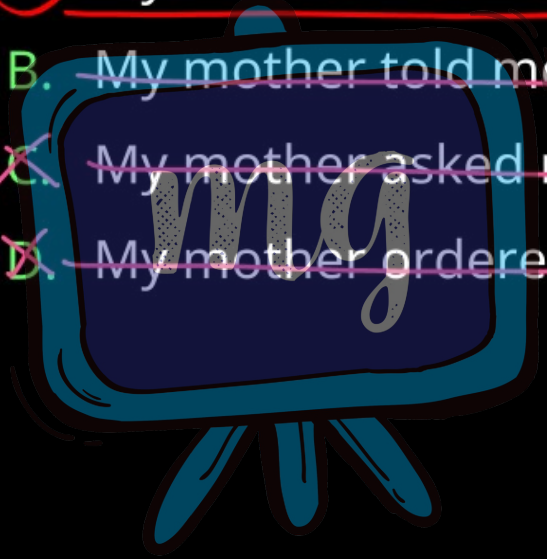
A. My mother advised me not to waste my time.

B. My mother told me to not waste my time.

C. My mother asked me that don't waste my time.

D. My mother ordered me not to waste your time.

advise



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10. Father said to his son, "Honesty is the best policy."

A. Father told his son that honesty was the best policy.

B. Father told his son that honesty is the best policy.

C. Father asked his son that honesty is the best policy.

D. Father told his son honesty has been the best policy.

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11. She said, "I wrote a letter yesterday."

A. She said that she wrote a letter the previous day.

B. She said that she had written a letter the previous day.

C. She said that she has written a letter yesterday.

D. She told that she had written a letter yesterday.

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HW

12. The teacher said to the students, "Keep quiet."

A. The teacher told the students to keep quiet.

B. The teacher ordered the students to keep quiet.

C. The teacher asked the students for keeping quiet.

D. The teacher ordered the students that keep quiet.

HW

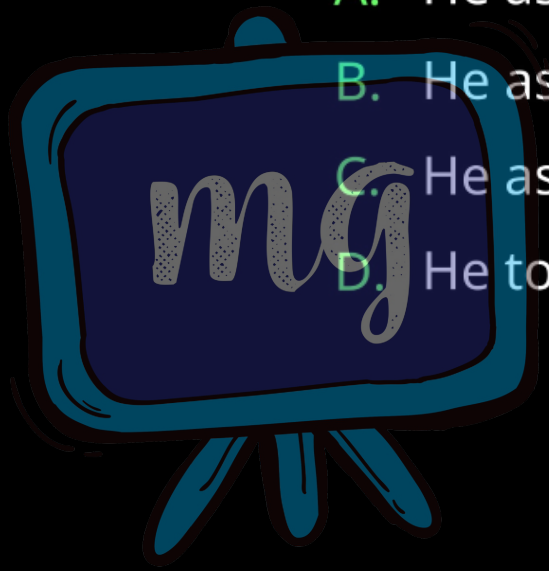
13. He said to me, "Where do you live?"

A. He asked me where I lived.

B. He asked me where I live.

C. He asked me where did I live.

D. He told me where I lived.



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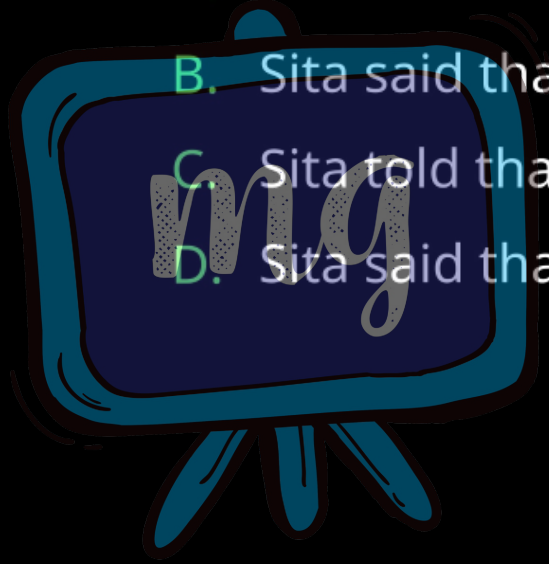
14. Sita said, "I can solve this puzzle."

A. Sita said that she can solve that puzzle.

B. Sita said that she could solve that puzzle.

C. Sita told that she could solve this puzzle.

D. Sita said that I could solve that puzzle.



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15. He says, "I am busy today."

A. He says that he is busy today.

B. He says that he was busy that day.

C. He said that he was busy today.

D. He says that I am busy today.

