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| OA1 | Comprender información central de textos orales y escritos en contextos relacionados con sus intereses e inquietudes, con el fin de conocer las maneras en que otras culturas abordan dichos contextos.                         |
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| OA3 | Utilizar su conocimiento del inglés en la comprensión y producción de textos orales y escritos breves y claros, con el fin de construir una postura personal crítica en contextos relacionados con sus intereses e inquietudes. |

# REPORTED SPEECH

Reported speech is usually used to <u>talk about the past</u>, so the tenses and the words spoken are normally changed. Reported or Indirect speech use reporting verbs like "<u>say, tell or ask</u>" and the word "that" is used to introduce the reported words".

Reported speech es usado para hablar sobre el pasado, por ende los tiempos y las palabras normalmente se cambian. Reported o Indirect speech usan vermos como "**say** (decir) **tell** (decir) o **ask** (preguntar)" y la palabra "**that** (que)" es usada antes de las palabras.

Example: He said that he worked in a hospital

## REPORTED SPEECH

When we report someone's words, we can do it in two ways. We can use direct speech with quotation marks ("I work in a hospital"), or we can use reported speech (He said he worked in a hospital.)

Existen 2 formas de reporter informacion, la primera es usar el direct speech con comillas He said: "I work in a hospital" y la segunda forma es reported speech He said he worked in a hospital

# PRESENT SIMPLE AND PRESENT CONTINUOUS TENSES

- Direct speech: "<u>I travel</u> a lot in my job"
- Reported speech: He said that <u>he travelled</u> a lot in his job.

The present simple tense (I travel) usually changes to the past simple (he travelled) in reported speech. / el tiempo cambia de presente a pasado. (I travel, presente) cambia a (he travelled, pasado)

- Direct speech: "Be quiet. <u>The baby is sleeping</u>."
- Reported speech: She told me to be quiet because <u>the baby was sleeping</u>.



The present continuous usually changes to the past continuous. Del presente continuo cambia al pasado continuo the baby is sleeping (presente) pasa a the baby was sleeping (pasado)

READING

- Direct speech: "I work in Italy"
- Reported speech: He told me that he works in Italy.

It isn't always necessary to change the tense. If something is still true now – he still works in Italy – we can use the present simple in the reported sentence. / No siempre hay que cambiar el tiempo, si algo aun es verdad o no ha cambiado, podemos mantener el tiempo presente.

## PAST SIMPLE AND PAST CONTINUOUS TENSES

- Direct speech: "<u>We lived</u> in China for 5 years."
- Reported speech: She told me <u>they had lived</u> in China for 5 years.

The past simple tense (we lived) usually changes to the past perfect (they had lived) in reported speech. / Del pasado simple <u>we lived</u> cambia a pasado perfecto <u>they had lived</u>.

- Direct speech: "I was walking down the road when I saw the accident."
- Reported speech: He told me he **had been walking** down the road when he'd seen the accident.

The past continuous usually changes to the past perfect continuous. / del pasado continuo was walking cambia a pasado perfecto continuo he had been walking.

### 'CAN' AND 'WILL'

- Direct speech: "I <u>can't</u> remember his name."
- Reported speech: She said she <u>couldn't</u> remember his name.

'Can' and 'can't' in direct speech change to 'could' and 'couldn't' in reported speech. / **Can** o **Can't** cambian a **could** o **couln't** 

- Direct speech: "I will be there for 3 weeks."
- Reported speech: He told me he **would** be there for 3 weeks.

'Will' and 'won't' in direct speech change to 'would' and 'wouldn't' in reported speech. / **will** o **won't** cambian a **would** o **wouldn't** 

### OTHER MODAL VERBS

• Direct speech: "You could be right."



- Reported speech: I said that he could be right.
- Direct speech: "You must call me."
- Reported speech: She said that I must call her.

Other modal verbs don't change in reported speech. / estos modales no cambian cuando se reporta informacion. COULD / MAY / MIGHT / MUST

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Activity 1: Transform the following sentences into reported speech and then fill in the blanks. Acorde a la información entregada arriba, reporta las siguientes oraciones y completa los espacios en blanco.

a. "My dad is an aerospace engineer."

She told me that her dad \_\_\_\_\_\_ an aerospace engineer.

b. "I work for the European Space Agency."

She told me that she \_\_\_\_\_\_ for the European Space Agency.

c. "We are meeting Tony at 8 o'clock."

She said that \_\_\_\_\_ meeting Tony at 8 o'clock.

d. "We will go to Alma Observatory tomorrow."

He said that \_\_\_\_\_\_ go to Alma Observatory tomorrow.

Activity 2: Read the questions and answers given in each column. Match the question with the correct answer. Lean las preguntas y respuestas de cada columna. Unan la pregunta con la respuesta correcta.

| REPORTED QUESTION REPORTED ANSWER          |   |  |
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| 1. He asked what time it was. F            | a. She said she was from France.            |  |
| 2. He asked where she was from.            | b. She said she had been visiting a friend. |  |
| 3. He asked what she did in her free time. | c. She said she had studied 3 hours.        |  |
| 4. He asked what time she would get there. | d. She said that she preferred tea.         |  |
| 5. He asked what she would do.             | e. She said that she was fine.              |  |
| 6. He asked who she had been visiting.     | <del>f. She said it was 3.00.</del>         |  |
| 7. He asked if she liked chocolate.        | g. She said that she loved it.              |  |
| 8. He asked how she was.                   | h. She said she played tennis.              |  |
| 9. He asked if she had studied.            | i. She said that she would watch a movie.   |  |
| 10. He asked if she drank coffee.          | j. She said that she would arrive at 8.00.  |  |