

# Reported Speech

## Косвенная речь

# Reported Statements 1

- **present simple**

'I **want** to go to bed early,' he said.

- **present continuous**

'She **is feeding** the baby,' he said.

- **past simple**

He said (that) he **wanted** to go to bed early.

- **past continuous**

He said (that) she **was feeding** the baby.

# Reported Statements 2

- **present perfect**

'I **have bought** a new dress', she said.

- **past simple**

'I **finished** work early,' Alex said.

- **future (will)**

'I **will talk** to you tomorrow', she said.

- **past perfect**

She said (that) she **had bought** a new dress.

- **past perfect**

Alex said (that) he **had finished** work early.

- **future-in-the-past (would)**

She said (that) she **would talk** to me the next day.

# Переход выражений

- now →
- today, tonight →
- yesterday →
- tomorrow →
- this week →
- last week →
- next week →
- two days ago →
- here →
- then
- that day, that night
- the day before
- the next day
- that week
- the week before
- the following week
- two days before
- there

# Переход местоимений

- James said, 'My boss wants me to go to London tomorrow.'

James said his boss wanted him to go London the next day.

- Mary said, 'I'm waiting for my son to come out of school.'

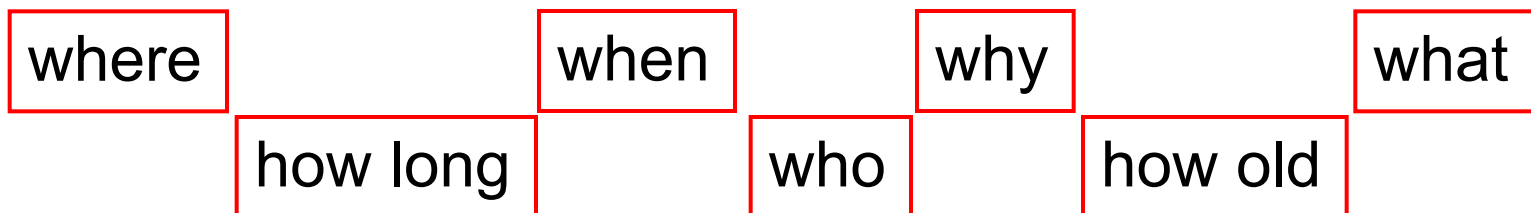
Mary said that she was waiting for her son to come out of school.

# Reported Questions 1 (Yes/No?)

- ask - спрашивать  
inquire - спрашивать  
wonder - интересоваться  
want to know - хотеть знать
- Связкой служит слово **if** или **whether** - “ли...”

# Reported Questions 2 (Wh?)

- Связкой служит вопросительное слово:



- Вопросительный знак и слово 'please' опускаются.
- Переход времён, местоимений и выражений производится так же, как и в утверждениях.

# Reported Questions 3

- ‘Have you seen this man before?’ she asked me.

She asked me if/whether I had seen the man before.

- ‘Where do you live?’ she asked the boy.

She wanted to know where the boy lived.



# Commands. Orders. Requests.

- ‘**Be** quiet!’ the commander said to the soldiers.  
The commander **ordered** the soldiers **to be** quiet.
- ‘**Don’t call** the police!’ the chief said to the staff.  
The chief **told** the staff **not to call** the police.
- ‘Please **visit** me in hospital,’ Joan said to Colin.  
Joan **asked** Colin **to visit** her in hospital.