

## REPORTED SPEECH EXERCISES

REWRITE IN REPORTED SPEECH. BEGIN AS INDICATED.

1. "I have been sitting in my desk all day", he said.  
He said that ...
2. "I don't like these jeans", she said.  
She said that...
3. "Have you invited everyone to the party ?", John asked.  
John asked me...
4. "Let's meet tomorrow evening", Jane said.  
Jane suggested...
5. "Leave now !", he said.  
He ordered us...
6. "What were you doing at midnight last Wednesday ?", he asked the man.  
The judge asked the man...
7. "I can speak three languages", she said.  
She said that...
8. "I haven't done my homework", John explained.  
John explained that..
9. "Did you go out ?", they wanted to know.  
They wanted to know...
10. "Don't call me again", she said.  
She told him ...
11. "Will the train arrive on time ?", Mary asked.  
Mary asked ....
12. "Try the steak", the waiter said.  
The waiter suggested that...
13. "You are upsetting me", she said.  
She said that ...
14. "Let's postpone the trip to next week ", Mike said.  
Mike suggested...
15. "We registered for the course today", said Joe.  
Joe told me...
16. "I expect you to behave", the teacher said.  
The teacher informed the class...
17. "Why don't we watch a video ?", Sue suggested.  
Sue suggested ...
18. "Don't forget to put the fire out", he said.  
He warned us ....
19. "Answer the question", the judge ordered the witness.  
The judge ordered the witness ...
20. "Glen is introducing the contestant now", said Tim.  
Tim announced that ...