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General Studies- Current Affairs

Pakistan will never stop its vendetta against India...



GSRK Babu Rao

REPORTED SPEECH contd..

గత వారం మనం Questionsని ఎలా Reported Speechలో వాడాలో తెలుసుకున్నాం. ఈ వారం మనం సాధారణ వాక్యాలను ఎలా report చెయ్యాలో తెలుసుకుందాం.

మామూలు వాక్యాల్ని Reported Speech లో చెప్పేటప్పుడు 'that' అనే link పదాన్ని ఉపయోగించాలి.

Reported Speech begins with a verb in Simple Present or Simple Past.

E.g. He says that, He said that,.. We use Present Tense when we report a conversation that is still going on, or while reading a letter, or while reading some instructions from a manual etc., or while talking about someone's oft repeated sentence.

Please remember, you *say something*, you *tell somebody*. Do not confuse 'say' with 'tell'. Or at least say, He said to me. [said తర్వాత 'to whom'] ఎవరికి అనే మొదలవుతుంది

E.g.

- Ratna said, "I will change this car."
Ratna said that she would change that car.
- The boys said, "We're playing a match next week."

The boys said that they were playing a match the following week.

Sometimes, the tense remains unchanged in Reported Speech.

Universal truths, scientific statements, proverbs when made in Simple Present do not change to Simple Past.

- The teacher explained, "Eclipses are caused by the shadow of the planets."
The teacher explained that eclipses are caused by the shadow of the planets.
Statements made in Simple Past are normally changed to Past Perfect. However, spoken forms made in Simple Past remain unchanged.

- He said, "My wife arrived on Monday."
He said that his wife arrived on Monday.
- He said, "I decided not to buy that car

since it is too old."

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Emotions are also reported in Reported Speech.

- He said, "What a tall building!"
He exclaimed that it was a tall building.
Similarly, we could use verbs such as: *murmur, shout, whisper, question*

Transform the following sentences from Direct Speech to Reported Speech and vice versa.

- The police said to the man, "Who lives next door?"
- "Get my coat, Raju!", the manager said to his assistant.
- "Rao, can I have your torchlight once again?" said Priya.
- He said to me, "Be careful! You may hurt yourself."
- "Who will preside over the annual function?" the staff asked their principal.
- The new commissioner of police said to his officers, "Treat the citizens well. We must bring peace and harmony in our city."
- The manager asked his secretary to open all his letters and show him if there is anything important.
- The teenager explained that he did not have a job and he would not mind hard work to earn money.
- The invigilator told the students to stop writing as the time was up.
- "Get out of my sight. I am disgusted with your mistakes," shouted the Project Manager.
- "Sir," pleaded the programmer, "Give me another chance. I will try my best to come up to your expectations and finish the project in time."

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- The police asked the man who lives next door.
- The manager asked his assistant Raju to get his coat.
- Priya requested Rao whether she could have his torchlight once again.
- He cautioned me to be careful and not hurt myself.
- The staff enquired with their principal

rob them.

sine die (Latin) - indefinitely **Eg.** The speaker prorogued (ended) the Parliament sine die.

tsunami (Japanese)- A huge tidal wave caused due to severe earthquake, esp., in the sea. **Eg.** India was hit by a Tsunami on 26 December 2004. People thronged to the banks like a Tsunami when the demonetization was announced in Dec 2016.

vendetta (Italian) - a prolonged bitter quarrel with or campaign against someone. **Eg.** Pakistan will never stop its vendetta against India on the pretext of suppression in Kashmir.

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who would preside over the annual function.

- The new commissioner of police advised his officers to treat the citizens well and they must bring peace and harmony in their city.
- The manager said to his secretary, "Open all my letters and show me if there is anything important."
- The teenager said, "I don't have a job and I will not mind hard work to earn money."
- The invigilator said to the students, "Stop writing as the time is up!"
- The Project Manager angrily shouted at the programmer to get out his sight as he was disgusted with his mistakes. The programmer pleaded to give him another chance and assured that he would try his best to come up to his expectations and finish the project in time.

Rewrite the sentences in Reported Speech. Note whether the sentence is a request, a statement or a question or a command.

- He said, "I like this song."
- "Where is your sister?" Sheela asked me.
- "I don't speak Tamil," Radha said.
- "Say hello to Jim," they said their dog Oreo.
- "The movie began at seven o'clock," the usher said.
- "Don't play on the grass, boys," the mother said.

- "Where have you spent all your money?" Pushpa asked her son.
- "I never make mistakes," he said.
- "Does Jyoti know Abhinav?" he wanted to know.
- "Don't try this feat at home," the stuntman told the audience.

KEY

- He said that he liked that song.
- Sheela asked me where my sister was.
- Radha said that she didn't speak Tamil.
- They asked Oreo, their dog to say hello to Jim.
- The usher said that the movie had begun at seven o'clock.
- The mother told the boys not to play on the grass.
- Pushpa asked her son where he had spent all his money.
- He said that he never made mistakes.
- He wanted to know if Jyoti knew Abhinav.
- The stuntman advised the audience not to try that feat at home.

IDIOMS

spic and span - neat, clean, and well looked after. **Eg.** Their house is always kept spick and span.



speak/ think of the devil - This means that the person you're just talking about actually appears at that moment. **Eg.** Hi Sagar, speak of the devil, I was just telling Lata about your new bike.

see eye to eye - This means agreeing with someone. **Eg.** After the elections, they do not see eye to eye.

when pigs fly - Something that will never happen.

Eg. When pigs fly, the government will bring back all the black money deposited in Swiss banks.



to cut corners - To do something badly or cheaply.

Eg. They really cut corners when they built this bathroom; the shower is leaking.

FOREIGN WORDS & PHRASES

carte blanche. (French) - unlimited authority. **Eg.** It is not advisable to give carte blanche to any person in power.

ad nauseam (Latin) - to a sickening degree. **Eg.** He kept talking about his children and their talent ad nauseam.

en masse - on mass scale, in large numbers. **Eg.** The employees went en masse on leave.

modus operandi (Latin)[మోడస్ ఓపేరాన్డీ] దినపర్య - Method of procedure, method of operating. **Eg.** His modus operandi is to look for isolated houses with old residents and

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connoisseur [kaw-nuh-suh] (కానాసో) An expert on matters involving the judgement of beauty, quality or skill in art. **Eg.** Zakir Hussain, a former President of India, was said to be a connoisseur of fine arts.

rescinded [ruh-sind-uhd] రసిండుడ్ - recall, reverse, withdraw. **Eg.** Since the new Motor Vehicle Act was very harsh, many state governments have rescinded its implementation.

sacrilegious [సాక్రిలేజిస్] An act that destroys, hurts or ruins something sacred, like entering a temple with shoes on, burning of a cross. **Eg.** The government's decision is

a sacrilege against the Constitution.

juggernaut [జూగునాట్] a huge, powerful and unstoppable force. A large, heavy vehicle, especially like a monstrous truck. Some say that the word is derived from famous Hindu shrine Puri's mammoth chariots. From Jagannath to Juggernaut. The word juggernaut first appeared in Western writing around 1321 but didn't become a common English word until the early 19th century.

vivacious [వైవేషిస్] చలాకీ, (especially of a woman) attractively lively and animated.

Eg. Many people were enchanted by the vivacious girl in the party.

Who was awarded with Nobel Prize in Physics 2019?



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Model Questions

- Which armed force organization has received the President's Colours Award, the highest military honour for an armed forces organization?
 - 1) Indian Army Service Corps
 - 2) Army Education Corps
 - 3) Indian Army Corps of Engineers
 - 4) Corps of Army Air Defence
- Who was conferred with the 2019 Swachhta Ambassador award during the 5th edition of India Today Safaigiri Summit recently?
 - 1) Shahrukh Khan
 - 2) Amitabh Bachchan
 - 3) Sachin Tendulkar
 - 4) P V Sindhu
- In which of the following route does, India's first private train 'Tejas Express' is flagged off recently?
 - 1) Lucknow - Guwahati
 - 2) Lucknow - Mumbai
 - 3) Lucknow - Bangalore
 - 4) Lucknow - New Delhi
- Which district has become the cleanest district in India as per the 2019 rural Swachhta survey (sanitation survey)?
 - 1) Peddapalli district of Telangana
 - 2) Kurnool district of Andhra Pradesh
 - 3) Chittoor district of Andhra Pradesh
 - 4) Jagtial district of Telangana
- In which route, the second Vande Bharat Express train, India's fastest train will run?
 - 1) Delhi and Mumbai
 - 2) Delhi and Varanasi
 - 3) Delhi and Katra
 - 4) Delhi and Lucknow
- Which has become the first state in India to launch the 'Policy on Pneumoconiosis Detection, Prevention, Control and Rehabilitation'?
 - 1) Madhya Pradesh
 - 2) Rajasthan
 - 3) Uttar Pradesh
 - 4) Andhra Pradesh
- In order to pay tribute to which spiritual leader, Lohian Khas New Delhi Intercity Express was renamed as 'Sarbat Da Bhala Express' recently?
 - 1) Guru Nanak Dev
 - 2) Guru Arjan
 - 3) Guru Tegh Bahadur
 - 4) Guru Gobind Singh
- Which state has launched the first of its kind Village Secretariat system in India which act as a bridge between the government and the people by rendering over 500 types of services at their doorstep?
 - 1) Gujarat
 - 2) Andhra Pradesh
 - 3) Telangana
 - 4) Uttar Pradesh

- Which portal was launched by Union Ministers RK Singh and Shri Pralhad Joshi to bring transparency as well as better coordination in coal supplies to power plants?
 - 1) NYAYA BANDHU
 - 2) ROSHNI
 - 3) PRAKASH
 - 4) DIGICOP
- Which state has emerged as the top state where most cancer patients availed treatment under Pradhan Mantri Jan Arogya Yojana (PMJAY) scheme?
 - 1) Tamil Nadu
 - 2) Chhattisgarh
 - 3) Kerala
 - 4) Madhya Pradesh
- In which city, India's first e-waste clinic will be set up?
 - 1) Ranchi, Jharkhand
 - 2) Pune, Maharashtra
 - 3) Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh
 - 4) Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh
- Where was the India's 1st plant to produce diesel from plastic waste opened?
 - 1) Aizawl, Mizoram
 - 2) Mathura, Uttar Pradesh
 - 3) Shillong, Meghalaya
 - 4) Kohima, Nagaland
- Which country will quit Organization of the Petroleum Exporting Countries (OPEC) from January 1, 2020 due to fiscal problems?
 - 1) Iran
 - 2) Ecuador
 - 3) Indonesia
 - 4) UAE
- Where did Prime Minister Narendra Modi inaugurated the Metro Express and new ENT Hospital through a video link along with the corresponding country's Prime Minister?
 - 1) Indonesia
 - 2) Seychelles
 - 3) Maldives
 - 4) Mauritius
- What is the name of the Indo - Mongolian (India and Mongolia) joint military training exercise?
 - 1) Ajeya Warrior
 - 2) Prabal Dostyk
 - 3) Sampriti
 - 4) Nomadic Elephant
- Which city topped in the first International Institute for Management Development's (IMD's) Smart City Index 2019 globally?
 - 1) Geneva
 - 2) Oslo
 - 3) Singapore
 - 4) Zurich
- Which city topped among the Indian Cities with the rank of 67 in the first International Institute for Management Development's Smart City Index 2019?
 - 1) Mumbai
 - 2) Bengaluru
 - 3) New Delhi
 - 4) Hyderabad
- What is the rank of India in the Global Firepower Index (GFP) /Military Strength Ranking 2019 by the Global Firepower?
 - 1) 4
 - 2) 10
 - 3) 6
 - 4) 8
- With which country, India had signed an MoU on providing Coastal Surveillance System?
 - 1) Myanmar
 - 2) Bangladesh
 - 3) Nepal
 - 4) Maldives



- Where was the 39th World Congress of Poets (WCP) for the year 2019 held?
 - 1) Kolkata, West Bengal
 - 2) Mumbai, Maharashtra
 - 3) Bhubaneswar, Odisha
 - 4) Guwahati, Assam
- Which country topped in the World Economic Forum(WEF)'s 2019 Global Competitiveness Index 4.0.?
 - 1) Switzerland
 - 2) Netherlands
 - 3) Singapore
 - 4) USA
- What is the rank of India in the World Economic Forum(WEF)'s 2019 Global Competitiveness Index 4.0.?
 - 1) 68
 - 2) 70
 - 3) 72
 - 4) 75
- Which organization has released the report titled "World Development Report (WDR) 2020: Trading for Development in the Age of Global Value Chains"?
 - 1) World Trade Organization
 - 2) World Bank
 - 3) United Nations
 - 4) International Monetary Fund
- What is the GDP growth of India for the year 2019-2020 as per the Standard & Poor (S&P) Global ratings?
 - 1) 6.9%
 - 2) 6.7%
 - 3) 6.3%
 - 4) 6.5%
- What is the repo rate as per the 4th Bi-Monthly Monetary Policy statement for FY 20?
 - 1) 5.15%
 - 2) 5.25%
 - 3) 5.35%
 - 4) 5.45%
- What is the GDP growth of India for the year 2019-20 as per RBI?
 - 1) 5.9%
 - 2) 6.1%
 - 3) 6.3%
 - 4) 6.5%
- What is the name of the policy, which will be subsumed by the New industrial policy?
 - 1) National Manufacturing Policy (NMP)
 - 2) Purchase and Price Preference Policy (PPPP)
 - 3) India's Industrial Policy (IIP)
 - 4) Policy of Industries (POI)
- By which year, India will shift Bharat Stage Four (BS IV) vehicular emission norms to BS VI in order to curb vehicular pollution?
 - 1) December 2020
 - 2) April 2021
 - 3) December 2019
 - 4) April 2020

- Where did a team of scientists from the CSIR-NGRI and the Central Groundwater Board, Ministry of Jal Shakti discovered dried-up river termed as "ancient buried river"s?
 - 1) Guwahati, Assam
 - 2) Chennai, Tamil Nadu
 - 3) Prayagraj, Uttar Pradesh
 - 4) Mumbai, Maharashtra
- Which country's small spike Anti-Tank Guided Missiles (ATGM) was inducted into the Indian army recently?
 - 1) USA
 - 2) Israel
 - 3) Russia
 - 4) China
- Which country test fired the "LGM-30G Minuteman III", intercontinental ballistic missile (ICBM)?
 - 1) Russia
 - 2) USA
 - 3) China
 - 4) Japan
- Who were jointly awarded with 2019 Nobel Prize in Physiology or Medicine for discovering how cells sense and adapt to oxygen availability?
 - 1) Michael W. Young, Peter J Ratcliffe and Gregg L Semenza
 - 2) William G Kaelin Jr, Peter J Ratcliffe and Gregg L Semenza
 - 3) William G Kaelin Jr, Peter J Ratcliffe and James P. Allison
 - 4) Tasuku Honjo, Peter J Ratcliffe and Gregg L Semenza
- Who was awarded with Nobel Prize in Physics 2019 for theoretical discoveries in physical cosmology (after the Big Bang theory)?
 - 1) Gérard Mourou
 - 2) Arthur Ashkin
 - 3) James Peebles
 - 4) Donna Strickland
- Which Indian Forest Service (IFS) officer, who was honoured with the 4th Asia Environmental Enforcement Award for 2019?
 - 1) Ramesh Pandey
 - 2) Vijay Sandeep Gokhale
 - 3) Harish Shindae
 - 4) Santosh Menon
- Which is the largest archaeological site from where remains of a 5,000-year-old city belong to the Bronze Age that was discovered by the Israeli archaeologists?
 - 1) Chichén Itzá
 - 2) En Esur
 - 3) Stonehenge
 - 4) Moche
- Around which planet, the orbiting of 20 new moons is discovered as per the researchers from the University of California?
 - 1) Uranus
 - 2) Neptune
 - 3) Jupiter
 - 4) Saturn
- Who was appointed as the new Chairman and Managing Director (CMD) of Oil India Limited (OIL)?
 - 1) Sushil Chandra Mishra
 - 2) Harish Madhav
 - 3) P. Chandrasekaran
 - 4) Biswajit Roy

- Which country's cricketer, Alyssa Healy creates world record becoming highest scorer in women's T20I during a match against Sri Lanka?
 - 1) Sri Lanka
 - 2) New Zealand
 - 3) England
 - 4) Australia
- Who topped in the ICC Men's ODI batting ranking as on October 3, 2019?
 - 1) Shakib Al Hasan
 - 2) Babar Azam
 - 3) Virat Kohli
 - 4) Rohit Sharma
- Which team topped in the ICC Men's ODI team ranking as on October 3, 2019?
 - 1) Australia
 - 2) New Zealand
 - 3) India
 - 4) England
- Where was the India's first floating basketball court opened?
 - 1) Chennai, Tamil Nadu
 - 2) Mumbai, Maharashtra
 - 3) Kochi, Kerala
 - 4) Visakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh
- Where was the 10th Asian Age Group Championships (AAGC) for the year 2019 held?
 - 1) Mumbai, Maharashtra
 - 2) Guwahati, Assam
 - 3) Bengaluru, Karnataka
 - 4) New Delhi, Delhi
- Who is the 1st Indian cricketer to bowl 3 maidens in T20Is during the match against South Africa?
 - 1) Poonam Yadav
 - 2) Taniya Bhatia
 - 3) Radha Yadav
 - 4) Deepti Sharma
- Where was the 17th edition of the International Association of Athletics Federations (IAAF) World Athletics Championships for 2019 held?
 - 1) Doha, Qatar
 - 2) Beijing, China
 - 3) Moscow, Russia
 - 4) Jakarta, Indonesia
- Which country's cricketer, Mohammad Hasnain became the youngest ever to take a hat-trick wicket in T20I cricket recently?
 - 1) New Zealand
 - 2) Sri Lanka
 - 3) Pakistan
 - 4) Bangladesh
- Who topped the ICC Men's Test batting ranking on 7th October, 2019?
 - 1) Rohit Sharma
 - 2) Virat Kohli
 - 3) Steve Smith
 - 4) Kane Williamson

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| 6) 2 | 7) 1 | 8) 2 | 9) 3 | 10) 1 |
| 11) 4 | 12) 2 | 13) 2 | 14) 4 | 15) 4 |
| 16) 3 | 17) 4 | 18) 1 | 19) 2 | 20) 3 |
| 21) 3 | 22) 1 | 23) 2 | 24) 3 | 25) 1 |
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| 36) 4 | 37) 1 | 38) 4 | 39) 3 | 40) 4 |
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