

REPORTED SPEECH - REPORTING VERBS

*Write these sentences in another way using the words at the end of the line.
(Reporting verbs - past simple)*

1. "I know you can do it . Take the exam again". **He / encourage**
2. "The accident was all my fault". **He / admit**
3. "Shall we have a quiet evening at home?" **He / suggest**
3. "There's no way I'm going on holiday with mum and dad". **He / refuse**
4. "Oh please! Let me go to Sharon's party, mum". **She / beg**
5. "No, it wasn't me. I didn't eat the last chocolate biscuit". **She / deny**
6. "Those bags look very heavy. Can I give you a hand?". **She / offer / him**
7. "Could you tell me the way to the city centre?". **She / want to know**
8. "Now don't forget to lock all the doors and windows" **He / remind /her**
9. "Would you like to come for lunch on Sunday?". **She / invite /me**
10. "Don't cross the road here. It's dangerous". **She / warn / them**
11. "That's very kind of you. What a lovely present!". **She / thank / her**
12. "If I were you, I'd be very careful what you say to her". **She / advise / them**
13. "I'll definitely get my hair cut this week". **She / promise**
14. "I'm so sorry I forgot about our appointment". **He / apologise**
15. "What about going for a meal to that new Chinese restaurant?" **He / suggest**
16. "Does anyone know who this car belongs to?" **He / want to know**
17. "If I were you, I'd spend a year abroad before university". **He / advise / her**
18. "We can't go yet. I want to see every picture in the gallery before leaving". **I / insist**
19. "Careful! Don't touch those plates. They're very hot". **He /warn / them**
20. "It's disgusting! I'm not going to eat any more". **He / refuse**