INDIAN SCHOOL MUSCAT DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH

MIDDLE SECTION

REVISION WORKSHEET ON DIRECT AND INDIRECT SPEECH

DECLARATIVE AND INTERROGATIVE SENTENCES

STD.VIII NAME DATE DATE

I. Rewrite the following sentences in the Indirect Speech:

ii) Mother said to the children, "I shall tell you another story."

iii) Mina will say, "I meet your sister every day."

iv) Sumit says, "I am happy to see you here this evening."

v) They said, "We tried our best to help the victims of the of the accident."

vi) Neil said, "Where have you been for the last one month?"

vii) My friends said to me, "Are you going for the football match?"

viii) He said, "Will you listen to such a man?"

ix) Joey asked, "Has anyone seen my watch?"

x) Susan asked Jane, "What do you do for a living?"

II. Rewrite the sentences in Direct Speech:

i) She told me that I had not done my homework.

ii) Aryan said that he was staying in Mahabaleshwar for a week.

iii) Derek said that they had been celebrating their victory the night before.

iv) Jessica said that she was tired because she had been walking for a long time.

v) The farmer said that the goat had died in the night.

vi) Peter asked me whether I played cricket.

vii) He asked me how old I was.

viii) The doctor asked the patient how he was feeling then.

ix) I asked him whether he would lend me his pen.

III. Choose the correct option:

i. Father says, 'I go for walk every morning.'

- a. Father said, 'I go for walk every morning.'
- c. Father says that he goes for walk every morning.
- ii. The teacher asked, 'Where is the boy?'

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- b. Father told 'I go for walk every morning.'
- d. Father told he goes for walk every morning.

a. The teacher asked where the boy was.	b. The teacher asked where was the boy.	
c. The teacher asked where the boy is.	c. The teacher asks where was the boy.	
III. Read the conversation between the in	terviewer and Raj and complete the passage t	hat follows:
Interviewer: Where do you live?		
Raj: I live near the Town Square area.		
Interviewer: That's fine. But why do you w	vant to change the job?	
Raj: I feel I am stagnating there and moreov	ver there is no scope for growth.	
Interviewer: Can you work on Saturdays?		
Raj: I have no problem working on Saturda	ys.	
Interviewer: Congratulations Raj, the job is	s yours and you have to report to work at the earl	iest.
The interviewer asked Raj (a)		_Raj replied
(b)	The interviewer expres	sed his satisfaction
and asked him (c)		Raj was frank
enough to say (d)		The
interviewer wished to know (e)		Raj
said (f)	The inter	viewer
congratulated Raj and (g)		
IV. Rearrange the words to form meaning	gful sentences:	
i. to predict/ the/ future /the best /way/ to/ is	/it /create	
ii. what /depends/ we/ in /do /present /the fu	ture /the /on	

iii. passport /to / future/ education/ is the/ a luminous