

Reported Speech Exercise

Fill in the blanks.

1. Grandmother said that she
..... the party.

- doesn't like
- hasn't liked
- didn't like

2. I asked him if he
to come with me.

- wants
- wanted
- want

3. I her that she looked
beautiful.

- told
- said
- Either could be used here

4. He pretended that he
..... sing.

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- can't
- couldn't
- doesn't

5. She said that she
on a new project.

- is working
- was working
- has been working

6. She she wouldn't
come.

- said
- said that
- Either could be used here

7. I you are right.

- think
- think that
- Either could be used here

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8. I I hadn't applied for that job.

replied

replied that

Either could be used here

9. He wanted to know what doing there.

was I

I was

10. I asked where staying.

were they

they were

11. Nobody told me why to leave.

had I

I had

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12. He suggested
find another job.

that I find

me to find

Either could be used here

Answers

Grandmother said that she didn't like the party.

I asked him if he wanted to come with me.

I told her that she looked beautiful.

He pretended that he couldn't sing.

She said that she was working on a new project.

She said / said that she wouldn't come.

I think / think that you are right.

I replied that I hadn't applied for that job.

He wanted to know what I was doing there.

I asked where they were staying.

Nobody told me why I had to leave.

He suggested that I find another job.