# **Direct and Indirect Speech**

#### A. Choose the correct Answer;

- 1. Which is a subordinating conjunction?
  - (a) And
- (b) But
- (c) Because
- (d) Or
- 2. "She said, 'I am happy.""

What is the reporting verb?

- (a) She
- (b) Said
- (c) Am
- (d) Happy
- 3. Which of these is a correlative conjunction?
  - (a) If
- (b) Either...or
- (c) Because
- (d) So

- 4. "He said, 'I went to the park." Choose the correct indirect speech:
  - (a) He said that he goes to the park.
  - (b) He said that he went to the park.
  - (c) He said that he had gone to the park.
  - (d) He says that he goes to the park.
- 5. Which conjunction expresses contrast?
  - (a) Because (b) While
  - (c) Yet
- (d) As

## B. Match the Following;

Column A	Column B
1. Eitheror	a) Used for comparison
2. As soon as	b) Expresses purpose
3. Asas	c) Correlative conjunction
4. So that	d) Time-related conjunction
5. Althoughyet	e) Contrast in correlative form

## C. Fill in the Blanks;

- 1. He is not only tall \_\_\_\_\_ strong.
- 2. She left early \_\_\_\_\_ she was not feeling well.
- 3. The show was \_\_\_\_\_ interesting that we watched till the end.
- 4. He said that he \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to Delhi the next day.

5. She said, "I \_\_\_\_\_ done my homework." → She said that she \_\_\_\_\_ done her homework.

#### D. Sentence Conversion – Direct ↔ Indirect Speech;

- 16. Change to indirect speech: Rohit said, "I am studying for my exams."
- 17. **Change to direct speech:** She said that her father was a doctor.
- 18. Change to indirect speech: I said to him, "Do you know the answer?"
- 19. Change to indirect speech: He said, "I will go there tomorrow."
- 20. Change to indirect speech (imperative): The teacher said to the students, "Be quiet."