

**Direction : Change the following sentences into Indirect Speech :**

1. My father said, "Honesty is the best policy".
2. I said to him, "I will not go there tomorrow."
3. The clerk said to me, "I will not attend the office tomorrow."
4. Hari said to them, "Mohan did not sleep here yesterday."
5. Gita said to Rita, "Will you help me in this work?"
6. Sadhna said to me, "Can you go with me to the station?"
7. Her father said to me, "Do you know where Prem is?"
8. I said to him, "Who are you?"
9. Ram said to me, "Why do you not go home?"
10. My mother said, "Watch the milk. Don't let it boil over?" .
11. He said to her, "Go away from here at once."
12. The teacher said to the boys, "Work hard."
13. The doctor said to the patient, "Do not eat much to escape from disease."
14. The servant said to him, "Sir, grant me leave for two days."
15. He said, "Rahul. Good Morning !"
16. He shouted, "Let me go."
17. The spectators said, "Bravo! Well done."
18. The captain said, "Hurrah! We have won the match."
19. The doctor said, "Alas! The Poor man is no more."
20. The teacher said to me, "What a beautiful picture it is !"
21. Mohan said, "Hi Ajay ! What are you doing ?!"

# Answers Key

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1. My father said that honesty is the best policy.
2. I told him that I would not go there the next day.
3. The clerk told me that he would not attend the next day.
4. Hari said to them, "Mohan did not sleep here the previous day."
5. Gita asked Rita if she would help her in that work.
6. Sadhna asked if I could go with her to the station.
7. Her father asked if I knew where was Prem.
8. I asked who he was.
9. Ram asked me why I did not go home.
10. My mother asked to watch the milk and forbade to let it boil over.
11. He asked her to go away from there at once.
12. The teacher advised the boys to work hard.
13. The doctor forbade the patient to eat much to escape from disease.
14. The servant requested his sir to grant him leave for two days.
15. He wished Rahul good morning.      or      He wished good morning to Rahul.
16. He shouted that he should go.
17. The spectators applauded by saying well done.
18. The captain exclaimed with joy that they had won the match.
19. The doctor exclaimed with grief that the poor man was no more.
20. The teacher exclaimed with joy that it was a very beautiful scene.
21. Mohan greeted