


Exercises


50.1 Read what these people say and write sentences with **He/She/They said (that) ...**

1  I've lost my watch.


He said he had lost his watch.


2  I'm very busy.


6  I don't feel very well.


7  We'll be home late.

3  I can't go to the party.

8  I've just come back from holiday.

4  I have to go out.

9  I'm going to buy a guitar.

5  I'm learning Russian.

10  We haven't got a key.

50.2 Use the pictures to complete the sentences.

1  I'm enjoying my new job.
CLARE


2  I'm not hungry.
EMMA

3  I need it.
MIKE


4  I don't want to go.
INVITATION HANNAH

5  You can have it.
SUSAN

6  I'll send you a postcard.
MARTIN

7  Where's Robert?
He's gone home.
NICOLA

8  I want to watch TV.
DAVID

9  I'm going to the cinema.
MARY

- 1 I met Clare last week. She said *she was enjoying her new job.*
- 2 Emma didn't want anything to eat. She said
- 3 I wanted to borrow Mike's ladder, but he said
- 4 Hannah was invited to the party, but she said
- 5 Susan told me she didn't want the picture. She said
- 6 Martin has just gone away on holiday. He said
- 7 I was looking for Robert. Nicola said
- 8 'Why did David stay at home?' 'He said
- 9 'Has Mary gone out?' 'I think so. She said

50.3 Write **say/said** or **tell/told**.

- 1 He *said* he was tired.
- 2 What did she *tell* you?
- 3 Anna she didn't like Peter.
- 4 Jack me that you were ill.
- 5 Please don't Dan what happened.
- 6 Did Lucy she would be late?
- 7 The woman she was a reporter.
- 8 The woman us she was a reporter.
- 9 They asked me a lot of questions, but I didn't them anything.
- 10 They asked me a lot of questions, but I didn't anything.