

ANSWERS

TASK 1

1. Brian asked John if **he could borrow** his car.
2. He might **speak** English.
3. Joan was sure that she **would never meet** Peter again.
4. Mary asked him **where he came** from.
5. I wanted to know if anyone **had seen** my tennis racket.
6. Mary told John **not to buy** her any more flowers.
7. You had better **take** an aspirin.
8. He asked if **he might use** my phone.
9. They may **have stopped** to do some shopping.
10. Tim must **have eaten** the biscuits.

TASK 2

1. He told Tom **to sit down**.
2. The children's mother warned them **not to go** near the sea.
3. Tim's father told him **not to be late**.
4. She told the children **to be quiet**.
5. The office ordered the men **not to shoot**.
6. The inspector told us **to have** our tickets ready.
7. She told us **not to use** the phone after eleven o'clock.
8. The receptionist told us **to leave** our keys on the desk.
9. The customs officer told us **to have** our passports ready.
10. My boss told me **to finish** the job tonight.
11. The general ordered the soldiers **to run**.
12. My mother told me **to open** the door.
13. My father told me **not to spend** too much money on our holiday.
14. He told me **to hurry** up.
15. She told me **not to be frightened**.

TASK 3

1. I asked Peter what time the **film started**.
2. The interviewer asked Chris if he **watched television** every evening.
3. The sales manager asked me why I **had applied** for that job.
4. My bank manager wanted to know if I **was taking** much money with me.
5. Maria asked the examiner when she **would know** the results of the examination.
6. The stewardess asked me if I **was enjoying** my flight.
7. I asked the salesman how the **photocopier worked**.
8. She asked Paul if he **had ever been** to Japan.
9. A policeman asked me if that car **belonged** to me.
10. My parents asked me what time I **had got** home the night before.

TASK 4

1. Bob said that **his brother was in hospital**.
2. Bob said that **he hadn't seen Bob for 5 days**.
3. Bob said that **he had been playing football a lot recently**.

4. Bob said that **he didn't know what Chris was doing.**
5. Bob said that **he hardly ever went to a swimming pool those days.**
6. Bob said that **he worked 10 hours a day.**
7. Bob said that **she had had a baby.**
8. Bob said that **he would tell Tom he had seen me.**
9. Bob said that **Bob had had an accident the previous week.**
10. Bob said that **Tom and Susan were getting married the following month.**

TASK 5

1. that
2. had always been
3. never ate
4. would talk
5. used
6. wished she was
7. to answer
8. Alex was
9. not to shout

TASK 6

1. he was waiting
2. they would set off the next day
3. to get out
4. last week
5. today
6. had better refuse
7. they used to take
8. had
9. must go

TASK 7

1. My friend ... he was very proud of me.
 - a) Said
 - b) Told
 - c) Spoke
 - d) Talked
2. They ... me I couldn't stay longer.
 - a) Said
 - b) Told
 - c) Spoke
 - d) Talked
3. She asked ... her in this difficult situation.
 - a) Will I help
 - b) Would I help

- c) If I will help
- d) If I would help**
4. I didn't know ... she wanted to know.
- a) That
- b) Where
- c) What**
- d) Which
5. No one said where ... the night.
- a) Had they spent
- b) They had spent**
- c) They spent
- d) Did they spent
6. He answered that he ... for a phone call and ... speak.
- a) Is waiting, can't
- b) Was waiting, can't
- c) Was waiting, couldn't**
- d) Is waiting, couldn't
7. He didn't tell us ... to the party.
- a) If he will come
- b) If he would come**
- c) Whether he will come
- d) Would he come
8. Mary asked us ... the room on the left.
- a) So that we don't enter
- b) Not to enter**
- c) To not enter
- d) That we didn't enter
9. I have already said that I ... part in this show.
- a) Won't take**
- b) Haven't take
- c) Wouldn't take
- d) Wouldn't be taking
10. Mr. Jones tries to explain that he ... his secretary since Tuesday.
- a) Hadn't seen
- b) Hadn't been seeing
- c) Didn't see
- d) Hasn't seen**