

## Assignment & Solution

### 1. Reported speech

“I love reading historical novels” , said Sarah  
→ **Sarah said that she loved to read historical novels.**

“Do you like chocolate cake?” , he asked Martha  
→ **He asked Martha whether she liked chocolate cake.**

“Where did you go yesterday?” Mary asked Tom.  
→ **Mary asked Tom where he went the day before.**

“Finish your assignment by today” , the teacher instructed the students.  
→ **The teacher instructed the students to finish their assignment that day.**

“Can you help me with this question?” Lisa asked Peter.  
→ **Lisa asked Peter if he could help that question.**

“We are watching a movie right now” , affirmed Tom.  
→ **Tom said that they were watching a movie.**

“When will the train arrive?” Jane asked the passerby.  
→ **Jane asked passerby when the train would arrive.**

“Don’ t take this medicine twice a day” , the doctor briefed me.  
→ **The doctor briefed me to not take that medicine twice a day.**

“I have been working here for five years” , said Mark  
→ **Mark said that he had been working there for five years.**

“Is it going to rain tomorrow?” Brown asked Mary  
→ **Brown asked Mary whether it was going to rain the next day.**

## 2. Change into passive voice

They built the bridge in 2010.

→ **The bridge was built in 2010 by them.**

Someone is cleaning the windows right now.

→ **The windows are being cleaned right now.**

People say that she was a great singer.

→ **It said that she was a great singer.**

→ **She is said that she have been a great singer.**

The manager will approve the applications tomorrow.

→ **The applications will be approved tomorrow by the manager.**

Did Tom write this poem?

→ **Was this poem written by Tom?**

Repair the car now.

→ **Let the car be repaired now.**

Someone must finish the report before noon.

→ **The report must be finished before noon.**

People believe that the Earth is getting warmer.

→ **It belived that the Earth is getting warmer.**

→ **The Earth belived that is getting warmer.**

She can solve this puzzle easily.

→ **The puzzle can be easily solved by her.**

Are they watching the match on TV?

→ **Is the match being watched on TV by them?**