Exercise 1:

Tick (✔) the correct answer.

1. Can you ________ me the way to the Post Office, please.
   A □ tell  B □ say

2. She ________ her father's name was Peter.
   A □ told  B □ said

3. What did your mother ________ when she saw you had an accident with her car?
   A □ tell  B □ say

   A □ told  B □ said

5. We didn't ________ a word and remained silent for an hour or so.
   A □ tell  B □ say

6. Let me ________ you something very important.
   A □ tell  B □ say

7. She didn't want to ________ me her phone number.
   A □ tell  B □ say

8. My brother keeps ________ the same things over and over again.
   A □ telling  B □ saying

9. What did you ________ him about the exams?
   A □ tell  B □ say

10. What did you ________ to him about the exams?
    A □ tell  B □ say

11. He ________ the waiter he couldn't pay the bill.
    A □ told  B □ said

12. My secretary ________ there was someone waiting for me.
    A □ told  B □ said
**Exercise 2:**

Put the beginnings and ends together (A to E) and (1 to 5).

A. In 1896 Lord Kelvin said

   1. that the next train to Bath leaves at 7.30.

B. When Colombus got to America he said

   2. the earth was flat.

C. Einstein's science teacher told him

   3. me he wanted to sell his house.

D. Hundreds of years ago people said

   4. he had reached India.

E. My neighbour told

   5. aeroplanes were not possible.

E. The timetable says

   6. he would never be a scientist.

**Exercise 3:**

Complete the following sentences by using say or tell in the correct form.

1. She ........................... me you were ill.

2. Paul always ................. the truth.

3. He ................. everyone he was from Scotland.

4. Can you ................. me the correct time?

5. Tom ................. that he was hungry

6. Don't ................. me, let me guess.

7. Sue ................. me that she was upset.

8. He ................. that he was angry.

9. He ................. lies all the time.

10. She ................. it wasn't true.

**Exercise 4:**

Rewrite the sentences using tell instead of say.

1. Jack said to me he would be late. ..................................................

2. Tim said to Sarah that he was ill. ..............................................

3. I said to you that I will not be there. ........................................

4. We said to them that it was too late. .........................................