

Reported Speech 6 (answer key)

Form the questions into questions in reported speech. Use if and whether.

1. Sophie: `Are you going to the dance tonight, Julia?`

Sophie asked whether Julia would go to the dance that night.

2. Eva: `Pat, can you get me some tea tomorrow?`

Eva asked Pat if he could get her some tea the following day.

3. Ben: `Do we have to go to school next week?`

Ben asked whether they had to go to school the following week.

Harry comes in just as his mother puts down the phone. She tells him about the call. Can you put the verbs in the correct form?

Mom: `Your dad has just been on the phone.`

Harry: `Oh, where from?`

Mom: `He said he would call from New York.

Harry: `New York? What was he doing there?`

Mom: `He said he would buy a new laptop and that he would test it.

Harry: `Oh great, our old laptop really doesn`t work anymore and I often need it for school.. When will he be back?`

Mom: `He told me he would come back tomorrow and that he would stay the night in N.Y.

Harry: `Okay, so it won`t be possible for me to use the new laptop form my homework tomorrow?`

Mom: `I fear not, your dad said he would return late in the evening.

Harry: `Well okay, I`m looking forward to that.