## **REPORTED SPEECH – PRESENT SIMPLE**

Transform these sentences from direct to reported (indirect) speech.

1. He said, "I play football on Tuesdays."
2. She said, "He lives near the post office."
3. Michael said, "My parents often go on vacation in July."
4. They said, "Tony hates mushrooms on pizza."
5. The chef said, "The waiter sets the tables."
6. She said, "I don't have enough time."
7. They said, "We are happy to wait a while."
8. You said, "I write in my journal everyday."
9. He said, "I am a nurse."
10. The owner said, "The manager signs the contracts."
11. Karen said, "He doesn't like watching TV."
12. My parents said, "These machines don't work."
13. He asked, "Is he our teacher?"
14. Our teacher said, "My house is very cold in the winter."
15. She said "Pluto is a real planet."
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