

## (D) INDIRECT COMMAND – INDIREKTER BEFEHL (BITTE, VERBOT)

**positive**

Tim says, "**Give** me the key!"  
Tim tells me **to give** him the key.  
(Tim says I should give him the key.)

Dad said, "Please **hold** the door for me!"  
Dad asked me **to hold** the door for him.  
(Dad said I should hold the door for him.)



**to + infinitive (1<sup>st</sup> form)**

**negative**

Sue has said, "**Don't wait** for us!"  
Sue has told us **not to wait** for them.  
(Sue has said we should not wait for them.)

Mum will say, "Please **don't smoke** here!"  
Mum will ask us **not to smoke** there.  
(Mum will say we should not smoke there.)



**not to + infinitive (1<sup>st</sup> form)**

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### 24 Find indirect commands.

1. My friend said, "Go away!" .....
2. Mr. White will say, "Do exercises 3 and 4!" .....
3. Mum has said, "Wash your hands, please!" .....
4. Our coach said, "Run faster!" .....
5. The speaker said, "Please, sit down!" .....
6. Grandma will say, "Don't climb on this tree!" .....
7. Dave said to Laura, "Don't go home now!" .....
8. Dad said to our guests, "Please, come in!" .....
9. Mum asked Joe, "Put out your cigarette, please!" .....
10. Dave shouted, "Shut up!" .....
11. Mum has said, "Brush your teeth!" .....
12. Laura asked Nate, "Wait for me, please!" .....
13. I said, "Don't make such a noise, Joe!" .....
14. Dad said, "Don't ask me what I don't know!" .....
15. Ms. Stone asked Mary, "Sing with us, please!" .....
16. Molly will say to Kevin, "Don't call me again!" .....
17. I asked Margaret, "Please, come in!" .....
18. Grandpa said, "Don't do this again!" .....
19. Dad has told me, "Don't drop the bottle!" .....

20. Mum said to Tina, "Open the door, please!" .....
21. Gary said, "Don't come before five o'clock!" .....
22. Our teacher always says, "Clean the board!" .....
23. The sign said, "Mind the steps!" .....
24. Mum will say, "Take a look at yourselves!" .....
25. The pilot has said, "Fasten your seat belts!" .....
26. I told Mike, "Don't try to be funny!" .....
27. Mum will say to Dad, "Don't drive so fast!" .....
28. Sally told Dave, "Don't come in now!" .....
29. Sally told Grandpa, "Wait till I come back!" .....
30. Lisa said to Tim, "Don't look at me like that!" .....
31. Mum said to us, "Please, take off your shoes!" .....
32. Lenny said, "Shut the door behind you, please!" .....
33. I've told Sally, "Don't believe this nonsense!" .....
34. Dad says, "Leave everything as it is and come in!" .....
35. Mum shouted, "Watch out!" .....
36. Sam said, "Don't touch this dog!" .....
37. The doctor has said, "Don't eat so much!" .....
38. Dad shouted, "Take your feet off the table!" .....
39. Sally screamed, "Put the book back and get out!" .....
40. Dad said, "Bring us the menu, please!" .....
41. Alex said, "Don't speak with these people!" .....
42. Simon has told Lydia, "Come again tomorrow!" .....
43. Willie said, "Please, don't tell my parents!" .....
44. Oliver asked Sue, "Please, stay a little longer!" .....
45. Marina shouted, "Leave me alone!" .....
46. Kim told Charlie, "Don't be so stupid!" .....
47. Elaine will say, "Come to my place at 5 p.m.!" .....
48. Mr. Lee often says, "Don't worry!" .....
49. Mum says, "Please, think before you speak!" .....
50. Betty said, "Put the books on the shelf, please!" .....
51. I told my friends, "Meet me at the café at 3 p.m.!" .....
52. Diana said to me, "Please, dance with me!" .....
53. Sue said, "Don't leave without me, please!" .....

**25 Indirect speech – all types.**

1. Toby said, "I am rather tired today."
2. Sally asked me, "Do you know what Tim is going to play on the piano?"
3. Our teacher said, "Send your parents next Monday!"
4. Uncle Ken told us, "I am going to Edinburgh tomorrow."
5. My friends informed me, "We have to go home at five o'clock this afternoon."
6. Granny explained, "I met Mr. Miller many years ago."
7. Danny told us, "Don't be so unfair!"
8. Mum called Sally and said, "I will be at home in two hours if the train isn't late again."
9. The young man wanted to know, "Is this my last chance?"
10. Simon asked our form teacher, "When do the next holidays begin?"
11. Henry remembered, "I saw Petra for the first time in this café."
12. Mum promised, "I'll be with you as soon as I have done the dishes."
13. The doctor asked me, "Did you take your pills this morning?"
14. Danny told his father, "Please, call Mr. Brown as soon as possible."
15. Mike asked us, "How did you like my apple pie?"
16. Sally explained, "I have never liked these trousers."
17. Her mother promised, "I will buy you new ones tomorrow."
18. Julia told us, "I went to London by train last week."
19. Martha said, "Sammy called yesterday."
20. Marcia asked, "Can I leave the shopping bags in your car?"
21. Aunt Emily wrote, "I'll arrive next week."
22. I promised my parents, "I will work harder next time."
23. Ted said, "I'll miss my bus if I don't hurry."
24. Roberta wanted to know, "Did you hurt yourself?"
25. Harry informed Brenda, "I'm going to sell my car."
26. Conrad remarked, "You haven't washed your hair since last Saturday."
27. Claudia asked, "When did you meet Frank for the first time?"
28. Louise said, "I'm sorry I didn't call last night, but I'll call you tomorrow."
29. I told Joe, "Never do this again!"
30. Sandra wanted to know, "Is there enough time for shopping tomorrow?"
31. Mum told us, "Please, be back before it gets dark!"
32. Grandpa reminded us, "Tomorrow is Granny's birthday."
33. Larry said to Diana, "I would like to invite you to the dance next Saturday."
34. Michelle informed us, "I'll probably take my driving test next month."
35. Alan said, "Get off my chair!"
36. Nick asked, "Can I come again next week?"
37. Caroline remembered, "David is going to be here any minute!"
38. Mr. Klein promised, "We will do the same exercise again and again."
39. Aunt Bertha wanted to know, "What did Grandma say about her stay with us last month?"
40. Stevie thought, "Nobody will ever find me here."
41. Gracie said, "Don't stay outside too long or you will catch cold."
42. I thought, "I've bought this ring for Jenny because I'm in love with her."
43. Everybody wanted to know, "Is this the last sentence for today?"