

Change the sentences to reported speech !

1. Mary said, "*I will play a card game tomorrow.*"
Mary informed me that _____ .
2. Sophie said, "*I went to bed early last night.*"
Sophie said that _____ .
3. The teacher said to Jenny, "*You have to learn your grammar.*"
The teacher told Jenny _____ .
4. Jessica told the immigration officer, "*This is my first trip to England.*"
Jessica told the immigration officer that _____ .
5. He told me, "*You are the most beautiful girl I have ever seen.*"
He told me that _____ .
6. Marty said, "*I'm going to visit my uncle next month.*"
Marty said that _____ .
7. Lara said, "*I get on with my parents really fine.*"
Lara said that _____ .
8. Gloria explained, "*I can't come to the party because I'm going away for the weekend.*"
Gloria explained that _____ .
9. Mark said, "*My friend found a new job in the music business.*"
Mark said that _____ .
10. Judy complained, "*I have already written this essay four times.*"
Judy complained that _____ .
11. Peter announced, "*I will not give up until this factory is shut down.*"
Peter announced that _____ .
12. Her boyfriend told her, "*You have bought a wonderful dress.*"
Her boyfriend told her that _____ .
13. Paul said, "*I don't like my new flat.*"
Paul said that _____ .
14. My father told Ben, "*I am sure I saw you here last week.*"
My father told Ben that _____ .
15. Betty said, "*If I knew the answer, I would tell you.*"
Betty said that _____ .

KEY

1. Mary said, "I will play a card game tomorrow."
Mary informed me **that she would play a card game the following day.**
2. Sophie said, "I went to bed early last night."
Sophie said **that she had gone to bed early the night before.**
3. The teacher said to Jenny, "You have to learn your grammar."
The teacher told Jenny **that she had to learn her grammar.**
The teacher told Jenny **to learn her grammar.**
4. Jessica told the immigration officer, "This is my first trip to England."
Jessica told the immigration officer that **it/that was her first trip to England.**
5. He told me, "You are the most beautiful girl I have ever seen."
He told me **that I was the most beautiful girl in the world.**
6. Marty said, "I'm going to visit my uncle next month."
Marty said **that he was going to visit his uncle the following month.**
7. Lara said, "I get on with my parents really fine."
Lara said that **she got on with her parents really fine.**
8. Gloria explained, "I can't come to the party because I'm going away for the weekend."
Gloria explained that **she couldn't / wasn't able to come to the party because she was going away for the weekend.**
9. Mark said, "My friend found a new job in the music business."
Mark said that **his friend had found a new job in the music business.**
10. Judy complained, "I have already written this essay four times."
Judy complained that **she had already written that essay four times.**
11. Peter announced, "I will not give up until this factory is shut down."
Peter announced that **he would not give up until that factory was shut down.**
12. Her boyfriend told her, "You have bought a wonderful dress."
Her boyfriend told her **that she had bought a wonderful dress.**
13. Paul said, "I don't like my new flat."
Paul said that **he didn't like his new flat.**
14. My father told Ben, "I am sure I saw you here last week."
My father told Ben **that he was sure he had seen him there the week before.**
15. Betty said, "If I knew the answer, I would tell you."
Betty said that **if she had known the answer she would have told me/us.**