

More Reporting Verbs Exercise

add	apologize	explain	promise
admit	beg	offer	protest

Fill the gaps using the verbs in the box in the correct form. Use each verb once only.

- 1 The teacher that wine came from grapes.
- 2 He never to take her cds again without asking first.
- 3 He for being late.
- 4 Monica to give us a lift to the station.
- 5 Mike eating the last chocolate biscuit.
- 6 Our scoutmaster at the end of his speech that we mustn't forget to bring torches on the camping trip.
- 7 Cecilia that she couldn't help with the shopping because she had already arranged to meet Caroline.
- 8 Cinderella to be allowed to go to the ball.

Now write some examples of your own.

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- 2
- 3
- 4

Answers

- 1 The teacher explained that wine came from grapes.
- 2 He promised never to take her cds again without asking first.
- 3 He apologized for being late.
- 4 Monica offered to give us a lift to the station.
- 5 Mike admitted eating the last chocolate biscuit.
- 6 Our scoutmaster added at the end of his speech that we mustn't forget to bring torches on the camping trip.
- 7 Cecilia protested that she couldn't help with the shopping because she had already arranged to meet Caroline.
- 8 Cinderella begged to be allowed to go to the ball.