

Said is Dead!

Challenge: Rewrite each of the sentences below **twice** but each time change the word **said** with one of your **said synonyms**. Discuss with a grown-up how the said synonym changes the way we might say the speech inside the inverted commas.

1. Jane said, "Be careful!"

2. "Where are we going?" said Mary.

3. "Mum," said the boy, "Can I have a biscuit?"

4. "Shh," said the librarian. "You have to be quiet."

5. Sarah said, "I fell and cut my knee."

