

**Direct vs Indirect questions****1. Exercise 1: Conversion from Direct to Indirect Questions**

Convert the following direct questions into indirect questions:

- a. What is your favorite book? \_\_\_\_\_
- b. Where do you live? \_\_\_\_\_
- c. When is your birthday? \_\_\_\_\_
- d. Why do you study English? \_\_\_\_\_
- e. Do you like pizza? \_\_\_\_\_

**2. Exercise 2: Conversion from Indirect to Direct Questions**

Convert the following indirect questions into direct questions:

- a. Can you tell me where the nearest bookstore is?
- b. Do you know if it's going to rain tomorrow?
- c. Could you tell me what you have learned today?
- d. I was wondering who your favorite author is.
- e. I'd like to know if you enjoy playing football.

**3. Exercise 3: Response Formation**

Formulate appropriate responses to the following indirect questions:

- a. I'd like to know what you do for a living.

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- b. Could you let me know what you did last weekend?

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- c. Can you tell me if you are okay?

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- d. Do you know if it will rain tomorrow?

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- e. I was wondering what you are doing right now.

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Answers:

1.

- a. Could you tell me what your favorite book is?
- b. I'm interested to know where you live. / Can you tell me where you live?
- c. Can you tell me when your birthday is?
- d. I was wondering why you study English.
- e. Do you mind telling me if you like pizza?

2.

- a. Where is the nearest bookstore?
- b. Is it going to rain tomorrow?
- c. What have you learned today?
- d. Who is your favorite author?
- e. Do you enjoy playing football?

3. These responses may vary depending on the person. Here are some examples:

- a. I work as a software developer.
- b. I spent last weekend hiking in the mountains.
- c. Yes, I'm okay, thank you.
- d. I'm not sure, I haven't checked the weather forecast yet.
- e. Right now, I'm studying for my English test.