


**a** Read the journalist's interview. Then complete her report with the **bold** verbs in the correct tense.

**JOURNALIST** Dr Makele, now you said recently in New York that big changes are necessary if we want to avoid a global catastrophe. What changes were you thinking of?

**DR MAKELE** Well, firstly, we <sup>1</sup>**cannot** continue to use up the world's natural resources at the present rate. Secondly, the richer countries <sup>2</sup>**will have to** allow developing countries to export more. And thirdly, we <sup>3</sup>**are going to** have to devote more resources to fighting diseases such as AIDS.


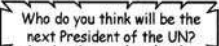

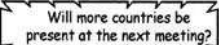

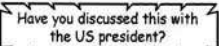

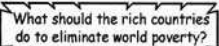
**JOURNALIST** And how <sup>4</sup>**can this** be done, Dr Makele?

**DR MAKELE** Well, <sup>5</sup>**I've just come** from a top-level meeting in Mexico City and there we <sup>6</sup>**agreed** on a series of proposals to take to next month's G8 meeting in Berlin. I <sup>7</sup>**hope** the richer nations <sup>8</sup>**will agree** to help eliminate poverty in the next 20 years. At the same time, we <sup>9</sup>**must** promote responsible government in the developing world.

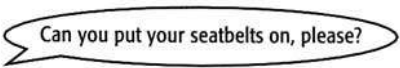
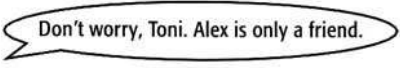
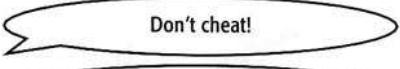
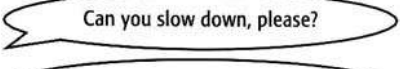
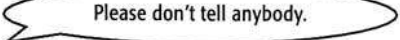


'Dr Paul Makele of the United Nations told me that we <sup>1</sup> could not continue to use up the world's natural resources. He said that rich countries <sup>2</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ allow developing countries to export more. He added that we <sup>3</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ have to devote more resources to fighting AIDS. When I asked him how <sup>4</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ be done, he said that he <sup>5</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ from a top-level meeting in Mexico City where they <sup>6</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ on a series of proposals to take to next month's G8 summit in Berlin. Dr Makele said that he <sup>7</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ the richer nations <sup>8</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ to help eliminate poverty in the next 20 years. He said that we <sup>9</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ promote responsible government in the developing world.

**b** Write some other questions journalists asked Dr Makele in reported speech.

		1 The BBC asked Dr Makele _____.
		2 Fox News asked him _____.
		3 RTVE asked him _____.
		4 RAI asked him _____.

**c** Complete the reported imperatives / requests using *asked* or *told*.

	1 The pilot _____ us _____.
	2 She _____ her boyfriend _____ because Alex was only a friend.
	3 The teacher _____ us _____.
	4 He _____ his friend _____.
	5 My friend _____ me _____ anybody.