Don't Forget the Speech Marks

Read each sentence and add the missing speech marks (inverted commas).

- 1. Have you seen my red coat? asked George.
- 2. Time to go the beach! Dad yelled. Be sure to grab the sunscreen and towels.
- 3. Peter wondered, How much longer until we have lunch?
- 4. My birthday party is tomorrow, Jill cheered.
- 5. Sue whispered, I am going to go and check my spellings.
- This summer we went to the zoo, said Sam, and we went to visit Grandma.
- 7. It's hot outside, Ben whined.
- 8. A cheetah is the fastest animal, explained Max. It can run 75 miles per hour.
- 9. Jordan cried, I scratched my knee when I fell.
- 10. It's upstairs, remembered Ella, near the bookshelf.
- 11. Liam sang, Today was the best day ever!
- 12. Muhammed asked, Can I borrow your pencil?

Next, write at least two of your own sentence using direct speech.