

## SAY X TELL

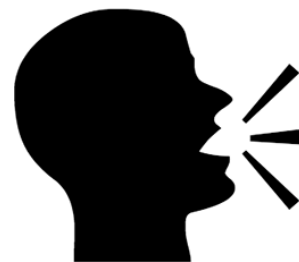
### SAY x TELL

**say** /se / is a verb meaning to convey information.

We say something. We say something **to** someone.

**tell** /t l/ is a verb meaning to convey information to someone.

We tell somebody.



### LOOKING FOR WORK



I arrived at the office and was greeted by a **chirpy** receptionist. **Top of the morning**, sir!+she **said** to me. She asked if I was here for the job interview and I **said** yes. She **told** me the previous employee **got fired** because he had **forged** his boss's signatures. She continued, **When** they **told** him they were **letting him go** he **said** he'd never **step foot** in this building again!+

### VOCABULARY BUILDING

**chirpy** . Oivý, nalad ný

**to forge** . zfalzovat

**top of the morning** . dobré ráno

**to let someone go** . propustit n koho

**get fired** . dostat padáka

**to step foot** . vkro it



### QUIZ: TEST YOUR KNOWLEDGE

Fill in the correct use of **say** and **tell**:



1. Jane \_\_\_\_\_ that she would join us for drinks later.
2. John \_\_\_\_\_ us that he won't be able to make it.
3. I \_\_\_\_\_ him that I was really upset that he couldn't come.
4. Jim \_\_\_\_\_ to me, ~~was~~ a strange person. +
5. He \_\_\_\_\_ me that he loved collecting stamps as a child.

KEY: 1. said 2. told 3. told 4. said 5. told