Quotation Mark Showdown

Team Task Cards

First discuss whether each is a direct or an indirect quotation. If the team agrees that it's a direct quotation, write it correctly on your whiteboards and then compare.

Turn off the heat	I don't know what I
said Ted. It's	want for lunch
too hot in here.	mumbled Henry.
Sonya asked me	Have you done your
why I didn't want to	chores yet
go to the party.	asked Ronald.
Sylvia said that she	l can't hear you
liked pizza.	yelled Bob.
No way! replied Chris.	Fred told Jack to go away.
Uncle Tom asked where he could find a fork.	Cindy giggled you are so funny!

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Answers

Duplicate answers on the backs of the task cards.

"I don't know what I want for lunch," mumbled Henry.

"Have you done your chores yet?" asked Ronald.

"I can't hear you!" yelled Bob.

Fred told Jack to go away.

Indirect Quote

Cindy giggled, "You are so funny!"

"Turn off the heat," said Ted. "It's too hot in here."

> Sonya asked me why I didn't want to go to the party.

> > Indirect Quote

Sylvia said that she liked pizza.

Indirect Quote

"No way!" replied Chris.

Uncle Tom asked where he could find a fork.

Indirect Quote