

Writing Direct Speech

Begin with a capital letter.

“**W**ho are you?” asked Lucy.

Inverted commas need to go around what is being said.

“**I am Mr. Tumnus,**” explained the faun.

Punctuation at end of speech and should be inside the inverted commas.

“How did you get here?” asked Lucy.

New lines for new speakers

“I live here. How did you arrive here?” asked Mr Tumnus.

“**Through the wardrobe!**” said Lucy.

Reporting clauses.

“I have never heard of the Land of Wardrobe!” **replied Mr Tumnus.**

Writing Direct Speech

“Who are you?” asked Lucy, staring at the creature.

“What are you doing here?” Lucy asked the faun.

“Aren’t you scared? It’s awfully dark!” replied Lucy.

“What is your house like?” asked Lucy.

