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- (i) She laid the table after she had finished the cooking.  
(Begin: When .....)

**Ans.** When she finished the cooking she laid on the table.

- (ii) He is old but still he works hard.  
(Begin: Despite.....)

**Ans.** Despite of being old, he still works hard.

- (iii) The delivery boy was requested to bring the parcel the next day.  
(Rewrite using direct speech)

**Ans.** I asked the delivery boy, "Could you bring the parcel tomorrow / the next day?"

- (iv) I prefer playing a game to watching television.  
(Begin: I would rather .....)

**Ans.** I would rather prefer to play a game than to watch a television.

- (v) Every family has a black sheep.  
(Begin: There is no .....)

**Ans.** There is no family without a black sheep.

- (vi) I have never worn a more ill-fitting suit.  
(End: .....ever worn.)

**Ans.** The most ill-fitted suit that I have ever worn.

- (vii) Anil is too fast a runner not to come first in the race.  
(Begin: Anil is so.....)

**Ans.** Anil is so fast runner that he could not come first in the race.

- (viii) As soon as the sports meet ended, the children ran on the field.  
(Begin: Hardly .....)

**Ans.** Hardly the children were left when the sports meet ended.