

Adverbs and adverbial phrases of time change as follows:

Direct

Indirect

today

that day

yesterday

the day before

the day before yesterday

two days before

tomorrow

the next day/the following day

the day after tomorrow

in two days' time

next week/year etc.

the following week/year etc.

last week/year etc.

the previous week/year etc.

a year etc. ago

a year before/the previous year

'I saw her the day before yesterday,' he said =

He said he'd seen her two days before.

'I'll do it tomorrow,' he promised =

He promised that he would do it the next day.

'I'm starting the day after tomorrow, mother,' he said =

He told his mother that he was starting in two days' time.

She said, 'My father died a year ago' =

She said that her father had died a year before/the previous year.