

Some Verbs used in Indirect Statement

audio	audire	audivi	auditum	listen, hear
cerno	cernere	crevi	cretum	perceive, determine
cog-nosco	-noscere	-novi	-notum	learn, find out
credo	credere	credidi	creditum	believe, trust
dico	dicere	dixi	dictum	say,tell
existimo	-are	-avi	-atum	suppose, consider
intellego	intellegere	intellexi	intellectum	understand
nego	-are	-avi	-atum	deny, say...not, refuse
nescio	nescire	nescivi	nescitum	not know
nosco	noscere	novi	notum	learn, find out
puto	-are	-avi	-atum	think
scio	scire	scivi	scitum	know
scribo	scribere	scripsi	scriptum	write
sentio	sentire	sensi	sensum	perceive, feel, sense
spero	-are	-avi	-atum	hope

nego – often the negative is placed in the indirect statement.

Hostem ad urbem accedere negavit - He said the enemy was not approaching the city

English to Latin Reference

believe, trust	credo	credere	credidi	creditum
deny, say...not, refuse	nego	-are	-avi	-atum
hope	spero	-are	-avi	-atum
know	scio	scire	scivi	scitum
learn, find out	cognosco	-ere	-novi	-notum
learn, find out	nosco	noscere	novi	notum
listen, hear	audio	audire	audivi	auditum
not know	nescio	nescire	nescivi	nescitum
perceive, determine	cerno	cernere	crevi	cretum
perceive, feel, sense	sentio	sentire	sensi	sensum
say,tell	dico	dicere	dixi	dictum
suppose, consider	existimo	-are	-avi	-atum
think	puto	-are	-avi	-atum
understand	intellego	intellegere	intellexi	intellectum
write	scribo	scribere	scripsi	scriptum