

# Relative Clauses

1. Match each definition to the correct relative pronoun.

where

refers to a thing

that

refers to a possession

whose

refers to a place

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4. Complete the sentence by choosing one of the relative pronouns below.

Sajid, \_\_\_\_\_, was waiting patiently at the end of the road.

when

which

whose

who

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2. Choose the most suitable relative pronoun to complete the sentence below.

Grandma had a coat \_\_\_\_\_ she always wore to feed the goats.

which

that

who

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5. Fatima is checking that the pronoun she has used in the sentence below is correct.

My dad, whose a police officer, is on his way home.



I have used whose because it refers to a person.

Is she correct? Prove it.

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3. Underline the relative pronouns in the sentences below.

A. In the 80s, when John was young, he didn't have a mobile phone.

B. Mrs Walter, who is the headteacher, was looking forward to welcoming children back to school.

C. The trainers, which were Tommy's favourites, no longer fit him.

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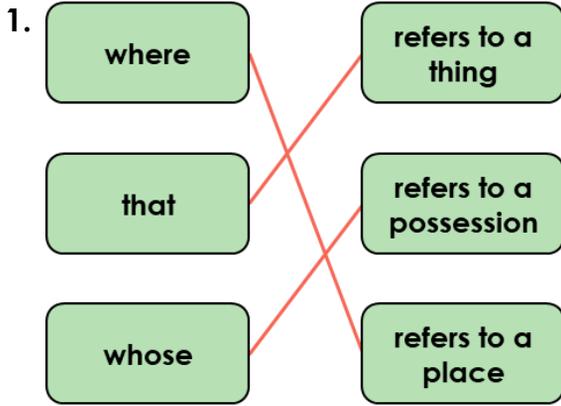
6. Which two relative pronouns could complete each of the sentences below?

A. Gina remembers the day \_\_\_\_\_ she first went abroad.

B. This is the shop \_\_\_\_\_ has lots of dresses suitable for the party.

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2. **that**
3. **when; who; which**
4. **Various answers, for example:**  
Sajid, who is Fiona's best friend, was waiting patiently at the end of the road.  
Sajid, whose coat was striped, was waiting patiently at the end of the road.
5. **Fatima is incorrect. She should have used the relative pronoun 'who', as it refers to a person. 'Whose' refers to a possession. Fatima's sentence should be: My dad, who is a police officer, is on his way home.**
6. **A. that or when: B. which or that**