

ADVANCED RELATIVE CLAUSES

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7. Find and correct the mistakes

Focus on relative pronouns and punctuation.

1. My brother who lives in Australia, is coming to visit us. _____
2. The film which we saw it last night was excellent. _____
3. That's the woman her daughter is a famous singer. _____
4. The restaurant, that we went to last week, has closed. _____
5. I have a friend which works for a big tech company. _____

8. Personal Practice – Describe people and places

Write 6 sentences about real people, places or things in your life. Use a different type of relative clause in each sentence (defining, non-defining, whose, where, reduced, etc.).

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____

9. Speaking – Work with a partner

Take turns describing the following. Your partner should guess who or what you are talking about.

- A person in your family
- A place you have visited
- Something you own that is important to you
- A teacher you remember well
- A film or book you like

Use as many relative clauses as possible.

Useful starters

"I'm thinking of someone who…"

"It's a place where…"

"It's something which…"

"I'm talking about a person whose…"

10. Final Challenge – Make the sentences more advanced

Rewrite each sentence using a relative clause to make it more natural and detailed.

1. I met a girl. She speaks four languages. _____
2. We visited a museum. It was opened in 1890. _____
3. He gave me a book. I had always wanted to read it. _____
4. She lives in a flat. The flat overlooks the river. _____

Well done!

You can now use relative clauses with more accuracy and flexibility.

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Answer Key

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1. My brother, who lives in Australia, is coming to visit us.
2. The film which/that we saw last night was excellent.
3. That's the woman whose daughter is a famous singer.
4. The restaurant that/which we went to last week has closed.
   (or: The restaurant, which we went to last week, has closed. – if extra information)
5. I have a friend who works for a big tech company.

10. Final Challenge (model answers)

1. I met a girl who speaks four languages.
2. We visited a museum which/that was opened in 1890.
3. He gave me a book which/that I had always wanted to read.
4. She lives in a flat which/that overlooks the river.
   (or reduced: She lives in a flat overlooking the river.)

Notes for open activities (8 & 9)
Answers will vary. Accept any accurate use of relative clauses.

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