RELATIVE CLAUSES – Exercises

1.) Complete with the correct relative adverb (why, where, when) or pronoun (who, which, whose):

1. This is the bank ..... was robbed yesterday
2. A boy ..... sister is in my class was in the back at that time
3. A greengrocer's is a shop ..... you can buy vegetables.
4. The man ..... robbed the bank had two pistols.
5. He wore a mask ..... made him look like Mickey Mouse.
6. This is the church ..... Sue and Peter got married.
7. He came with a friend ..... waited outside in the car.
8. The woman ..... gave him the money was young.
9. This is the station ..... Emily met James.
10. 25 December is the day ..... children in the UK get their Christmas presents.
11. The bag ..... contained the money was yellow.
12. The people ..... were in the bank were very frightened.
13. Edinburgh is the town ..... Alexander Graham Bell was born.
14. A man ..... mobile was ringing did not know what to do.
15. A woman ..... daughter was crying tried to calm her.
16. The day ..... I arrived was very nice.
17. The car ..... the bank robbers escaped in was orange.
18. The robber ..... mask was obviously too big didn't drive.
19. July and August are the months ..... most people go on holiday.
20. The man ..... drove the car was nervous.
21. He didn't wait at the traffic lights ..... were red.
22. A horror film was the reason ..... I couldn't sleep last night.
23. A police officer ..... car was parked at the next corner stopped.
24. Do you know the reason ..... so many people in the world learn English?
25. A famine was the reason ..... so many Irish people emigrated to the USA in the 19th century.

SUBJECT AND OBJECT PRONOUNS:

If the relative pronoun is **followed by a verb**, the relative pronoun is a subject pronoun. **Subject pronouns must always be used**.

eg. The apple *which* is lying on the table is from the new supermarket

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