

Unit 2 Grammar practice

Relative clauses; relative pronouns and prepositions

1 Complete the sentences with the relative pronouns and adverbs in the list.

that when—where which who
whose when

Is Saturday the day when Jake and Helen are having their engagement party?

1 The film I saw last week was very good.

2 Pete, is from Poland, speaks four languages.

3 That boy, father teaches science, is always getting into trouble.

4 This book, I still haven't read, is about Spanish traditions and festivals.

5 The town he used to live is on the Mexican border.

6 Bonfire Night is the night we set off fireworks in the UK.

2 Rewrite the sentences with relative pronouns and adverbs. In some cases, there is more than one possible answer.

That's the ring. Her boyfriend gave it to her.

That's the ring which / that her boyfriend gave to her.

1 This is the woman. Her husband is a wedding planner.



2 This is the girl. I met her at school.

3 They work in a factory. The factory makes fancy-dress costumes.

4 2 June was the day. We got married.

5 That's the man. He put up the decorations.

6 That's the house. My grandmother was born there.

7 My teacher's wife is French. He's going to live in Paris next year.

3 Complete the sentences with relative pronouns and adverbs. Add commas where necessary to the sentences that contain non-defining relative clauses. and add brackets where the relative pronouns can be omitted.

The man (who) I used to dislike is now my husband!

1 This is the woman/book won an award.

2 This cake /I bought this morning is delicious!

3 The restaurant / they ate lunch had a nice view.

4 Why didn't you bring / I asked you to?

5 Gina is a florist / sells a lot of flowers during the holidays.

6 The day / Kevin arrived back from China was cold and wet.

7 I'll never forget the place / we went on our first date.

4 Complete the sentences with the prepositions in the list.

about for in on on to

The teacher at the school to which I go told me that I'd done well in the exam.

1 Spanish food, which I know a lot, is nutritious and tasty.

2 The poem 'Strange Fruit', which the Billie Holiday song is based, was written by Abel Meeropol.

3 The day which we celebrate St Stephen is always enjoyable.

4 They're playing a football match in the city which I live.

5 Stan's parties, which he is famous, are always exciting.