

## RELATIVE CLAUSES - REVISION

### Exercise 1: Choose the correct relative pronoun.

1. The dog ..... barking you can hear is our neighbour's dog.  
a) who                      b) which                      c) whose
2. This is the purse ..... I am looking for.  
a) what                      b) that                      c) whose
3. Could you tell me the name of the boy ..... is sitting opposite us?  
a) that                      b) which                      c) whom
4. My mother, ..... worked as a nurse, is retired now.  
a) that                      b) who                      c) which
5. I don't know the phone number ..... is used in case of emergencies.  
a) what                      b) which                      c) who
6. We booked a really comfortable hotel room, ..... was a very good idea.  
a) that                      b) what                      c) which

### Exercise 2: Use that, who, which or whose to complete the sentences. Write commas where necessary.

1. Miss Anderson ..... reputation is so good comes to help us.
2. What have you done with the pen ..... I left on the table?
3. I delivered the parcel to Charles ..... gave it to Ann.
4. His wife ..... is an architect designed their new house.
5. Can you hear the noise ..... comes from the cellar?
6. Everybody ..... saw the attack should contact the police.
7. The town ..... towers you can see is York.
8. Is he the new teacher ..... you told me about?
9. His last film ..... is the best film I've ever seen hasn't a big audience.

### Exercise 3: Complete the sentences with the past continuous form of the verbs in brackets.

1. I (make) \_\_\_\_\_ my dinner at 8 o'clock last night.

- 2 Joe and Sam (use) \_\_\_\_\_ the wrong program in IT yesterday.
3. Who was that guy you (dance) \_\_\_\_\_ with at the party?
4. Paula (come) \_\_\_\_\_ home from school when she saw an accident.
5. In 1999 my father (live) \_\_\_\_\_ in Dublin. That's where he met my mother.
6. He (open) \_\_\_\_\_ the box when he cut his finger.
7. This time last week, we (visit) \_\_\_\_\_ my grandmother.
8. I (sit) \_\_\_\_\_ at the back of the classroom so I couldn't see the screen.
9. Andrew (insert) \_\_\_\_\_ a photo into his document when the teacher stopped the class.
10. I (start) \_\_\_\_\_ to do my homework when my friend sent me a message.

**Task 4. Choose the correct options.**

1. I *listened* / *was listening* to the radio when I *heard* / *was hearing* this fantastic song.
2. When the teacher *said* / *was saying* 'Stop!', I *still tried* / *was still trying* to finish the last question.
3. I feel really silly! While I *danced* / *was dancing*, I *fell* / *was falling* and *broke* / *was breaking* my elbow.
4. Tim *played* / *was playing* a computer game when his mum *called* / *was calling* him for lunch.
5. I *looked* / *was looking* for a file on my memory stick when I *noticed* / *was noticing* there was a virus.
6. Ron *found* / *was finding* a really interesting website about dance music while he *surfed* / *was surfing* the internet.
7. My mum *had* / *was having* breakfast near the computer when she *spilled* / *was spilling* her cup of coffee on the keyboard.
8. When you *saw* / *were seeing* me yesterday, I *didn't go* / *wasn't going* to school, I *went* / *was going* to the doctor's – I felt terrible.
9. How many pictures did you *take* / *were you taking* while you *travelled* / *were travelling* around Ireland?
10. Why did you *chat* / *were you chatting* to Philip while I *tried* / *was trying* to tell you something really important?

