3C defining relative clauses with *who, which, where*

1 That's the woman **who** won the lottery last year. 3.16
A chef is a person **who** cooks food in a restaurant.
2 A clock is something **which** tells the time.
Is that the book **which** won an important prize?
3 A post office is a place **where** you can buy stamps.
That's the restaurant **where** I had dinner last week.

- We use defining relative clauses to explain what a person, thing or place is or does.
  1 Use *who* for a person.
  2 Use *which* for a thing.
  3 Use *where* for a place.
- The verb after *where* needs a subject, e.g. *you*.
- We can also use *which* to talk about a place, e.g. *A post office is a place which sells stamps.*



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We can use *that* instead of *who* or *which*.
She's the girl ***who*** / ***that*** *works with my brother.*
It's a thing ***which*** / ***that*** *connects two computers.*

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a Complete the definitions with *who, which,* or *where.*

A postman is the person *who* brings you your parcels and letters.
1 An octopus is an animal _____ lives in the sea and has eight legs.
2 A lawnmower is a machine _____ cuts the grass.
3 A surgeon is a doctor _____ does operations.
4 A changing room is a room _____ people try on clothes.
5 A porter is the person _____ helps you with your luggage.
6 Garlic is a kind of food _____ keeps vampires away.
7 A garage is a place _____ mechanics repair cars.

b Write sentences with *who, which,* or *where.*

She / the woman / catch the same bus as me
She's the woman who catches the same bus as me.
1 That / the dog / always barks at night
2 That / the shop / I bought my wedding dress
3 He / the actor / was in the last James Bond film
4 They / the children / live next door to me
5 This / the restaurant / they make great pizza
6 That / the switch / controls the air conditioning
7 He / the teacher / teaches my sister
8 That / the room / we have our meetings
9 This / the light / is broken

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