4 GRAMMAR PRACTICE

In English we can find two types of relative clauses depending on the information we are giving. These can also be combined with passive voice.

Relative clauses that give necessary information (no commas):

*The artist **who won the award** gave an emotional speech.*
*The movie **that broke records** was released last month.*

Relative clauses that give extra information (use commas):

Taylor Swift***, who is known for her songwriting,*** announced a world tour.
The Oscars***, which take place every year,*** celebrate the best in film.

Read this brief news about a celebrity. Decide if the relative clauses provide extra or important information.

"Beyoncé, who is one of the most successful artists of all time, made headlines last night. A special award was given to her for her contributions to music. Her latest album, which has been praised by critics, is breaking streaming records. Fans, whose excitement was clear on social media, shared millions of posts about her win."



Now, read some opinions from the public. Decide if they provide important or extra information in their relative clauses.

Her latest album, which has been praised by critics, is already breaking streaming records! 🔥🎧 #MusicLegend

Streaming records are being broken, but some argue that better albums were released this year. 🤷‍♂️🎧 #ControversialWin

A major snub was noticed when another deserving artist was not awarded! 😤🚫 #Unfair

Some fans are disappointed that no new songs were performed, which was expected during the event. 😕🎶 #MissedOpportunity

A well-deserved award was given to Beyoncé, who has inspired millions with her music! 🌟👏 #Icon

Beyoncé, whose talent has been recognized worldwide, was honored with a special award last night! 👑🎶 #QueenB

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MUSIC RELEASED!

"Lady Gaga's 'Abracadabra': A Spellbinding Anthem with a Powerful Message"



Lady Gaga's latest single, "Abracadabra," was released during the 2025 Grammy Awards, where its music video surprised the fans. The video, which features a black, white, and red theme, shows a dance battle between Gaga's good and bad sides. These visuals are praised for the artistic depth and choreography. *(people.com)*

During her acceptance speech at the Grammys, Gaga addressed recent political actions against the LGBTQ+ community. She said that "trans people are not invisible" and that they deserve love and support. *(them.us)*

The fusion of art and commitment in Gaga's work makes people reflect on the role of art in political discourse. Her creative expressions, which often challenge societal norms, highlight the power of art to influence and reflect political landscapes.

Read the brief article below. Then, watch the music video released by the artist and write two statements with your opinion giving important and extra information.

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