

## LANGUAGE IN ACTION

### Relative pronouns and relative clauses



#### 1 ★ Complete the sentences with relative pronouns.

- 1 The town where we went on holiday last year was quite cheap.
- 2 The plane        I took was two hours late.
- 3 Spring is the time of year        you can see beautiful pink trees in Japan.
- 4 The reason        I want to go to Turkey is to try the food.
- 5 The woman        suitcase was damaged was very upset.
- 6 New York is a good place for people        like sightseeing.

#### 2 ★★ Correct one mistake in each sentence.

- 1 I remember where we went to London to see the Houses of Parliament.

I remember when we went to London to see the  
Houses of Parliament.

- 2 This is the holiday resort I will be staying.

- 3 Is that the girl bag got lost?

- 4 I lost the camera I brought it with me.

- 5 I have an app on my phone tells me about all the best tourist attractions.

- 6 Mark is the person who I'm going to visit him in London.



#### 3 ★★ Complete the text with the clauses in the box and the correct relative pronouns.

brings you has travelled to lots of countries

I can see I got a parcel in the post

I want to visit Japan opinion I trust

The reason <sup>1</sup>why I want to visit Japan is my brother Jonathan. He's someone <sup>2</sup>      , including the USA and Australia, but he always says that Japan is his favourite place. He was working there when I was quite young and he often used to send me presents. I loved the moment <sup>3</sup>       and there was something inside, like a cool toy, food or a *maneki-neko* (this is like a little cat <sup>4</sup>       good luck).

So, Jonathan is the person <sup>5</sup>       the most about travelling to different countries – I always ask him for advice. I hope I can visit Tokyo one day, and also other smaller towns <sup>6</sup>       traditional Japanese life.



#### 4 ★★★ Join the sentences using a relative pronoun.

- 1 These are the people. I met them on holiday.

These are the people who I met on holiday.

- 2 France is the country. It has more tourists than any other country.

- 3 The departures lounge is a place in an airport. You wait for your plane there.

- 4 Drones are a new invention. They might replace normal taxis.

- 5 Norway is the place. I will be travelling there next summer.

- 6 We left early. The reason was bad weather.

- 7 Linda is the person. Her brother is a pilot.