

SENTENCE TRANSFORMATION: Relative Clauses

1. Join the sentences using a relative pronoun to make one single sentence:

1. The book is really good. I am reading it at the moment.
2. My aunt and uncle live in Ireland. They have two dogs.
3. The museum closes at eight o'clock. We want to visit it.
4. The lady is from Japan. She lives next door.
5. My dad has a computer. It is very old.
6. My best friend doesn't go to my school. She is 18.
7. I saw Steve. He went to university with you.
8. James works for a company. They sell bicycles.
9. The train goes to the airport. It leaves every 20 minutes.
10. I lost my glasses. They were on top of the television.

2. Rewrite the sentences using relative clauses to sound more formal. Use the words in brackets.

1. Martha and William work for that company. (that is)
2. Katie is very proud of her brother, Jack. (whom)
3. They talked to those union workers about the demonstration. (those are)
4. Jenny would apply for that sort of job. (that is)
5. The children will participate in that competition (in which)

6. Clara was listening to that radio programme. (that is)
7. Who did you discuss the issues with? (with)
8. We're thinking of moving to a bigger house. (where)
9. The company made a profit on that sale. (on which)
10. You can't rely on that type of information. (which)

3. Rewrite the sentences using relative clauses and the words given.

1. That man's sister is my new English teacher.
That is the man
2. Most of the hotels we stayed in were excellent.
We stayed in a lot of hotels,
3. The new office on the first floor is enormous.
The new office,
4. That lady over there is my new doctor.
That is the lady
5. A friend of mine recommended a hotel for us to stay in.
That is the hotel
6. My brother lives in Oxford, a famous university town.
Oxford,
7. Andrew travels a lot for his job and is often away from home.
Andrew,
8. The new sports centre will offer lots of different sports and is going to open next week.
The new sports centre,