

RELATIVE PRONOUNS

I Check the grammar guide on the left. Match the items logically.

WHO

- refers to people (and animals considered as pets):

This is the man who is a great singer.

WHICH

- refers to objects and concepts :

This is the film which won an award.

WHOSE

- expresses possession for objects, people and animals :

This is the house whose door is red.

This is the boy whose dog won the competition.

WHEN

- refers to time :

October is the month when people celebrate Halloween.

WHERE

- refers to place:

This is the hotel where I stayed last month.

- Did you eat the pancakes which
- This is my neighbour who
- This is the dog which
- This is the lake where
- This is the hospital where
- This is the shop which
- A novelist is a person who
- This is the book which
- This is the house where
- Marie Curie, who discovered radium,

- I found a rare species of fish.
- I had a surgery.
- I was born.
- is my favourite scientist.
- I love best.
- writes books.
- sells the most fashionable clothes.
- bit the postman twice.
- I made for breakfast ?
- is a policeman.

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II Circle the correct option.

- Rob bought a house **which / whose** windows are broken.
- This is the restaurant **where / which** I had delicious pasta.
- The book **which / who** I prefer is called *Jane Eyre*.
- The man, **who / whose** eyes are blue, looks very familiar.
- This is the year **when / where** the new Star Wars is released.

III Read this text about the famous site Machu Picchu. Complete the gaps with the correct relative pronoun.

Machu Picchu is an Inca city **1**

was built in the 15th century. It is located in

Peru, on top of a mountain **2**

is about 2,500 metres high. Pachacuti,

3 was the Inca emperor,

probably lived there. This city, **4**

inhabitants abandoned it five hundred years ago, is very mysterious.



Archaeologists, **5** can't explain exactly how it was built, have more questions than answers. 1911 is the date

6 the American explorer, **7** name was Hiram Bingham, told the world about this ancient site.

This remote city is the place **8** explorers, historians and scientists search for the truth of our ancient past.