

## Relative Clauses: With or Without Relative Pronouns

- a. Complete the text below with the correct relative pronouns: *which*, *who*, *where*, and *when*.

### The History of the Umbrella

Umbrellas were first used in ancient Egypt, Greece, and China, (1) \_\_\_\_\_ they were designed to provide shade from the sun. In fact, the word "umbrella" comes from the Latin root, "umbra", (2) \_\_\_\_\_ means "shadow." It was the Chinese (3) \_\_\_\_\_ were the first to waterproof their umbrellas in order to use them as protection against the rain.

Umbrellas became popular in Europe in the sixteenth century, (4) \_\_\_\_\_ they were used only by women. Umbrellas began to be used by men (5) \_\_\_\_\_ the eighteenth-century writer and traveler, James Hanway, started carrying an umbrella in public in England.

You can still buy umbrellas from the world's first umbrella shop, "James Smith and Sons," (6) \_\_\_\_\_ opened in 1830 in London, England.



b. The following sentences are about the inventor of the raincoat, Charles Mackintosh. Read the sentences and join them together, using relative clauses.

1. Charles Mackintosh was a chemist. He invented the waterproof raincoat.

2. Mackintosh lived and worked in Glasgow, Scotland. The weather is often cold and rainy in Glasgow.

3. He created a substance similar to rubber. He spread the substance on clothes to make them waterproof.

4. Mackintosh made some improvements to his original design. The improvements made the clothes more practical.

5. Many people in England use raincoats. They call their raincoats "mackintoshes."





# Unit 5

## Arts And Entertainment

### Music

a. What did you learn from the radio interview between Lex Benedict and the rock band in the computer lesson? Mark the correct column: True, false, or not in text.

	True	False	Not in Text
1. The name of the group that is being interviewed is "The Institute of Music."			
2. The group plays jazz.			
3. Barry Jameson teaches at State University.			
4. All the members of the group are married.			
5. The group's new song is called "Don't Test Me."			
6. The group's first concert at State University was held a week before the radio interview.			
7. The group plans to give another concert at State University.			





- b. Did you understand all the words in the radio interview? Match the definitions in B to the words in A.

A

- ☐ 1. a graduate
- ☐ 2. a hit
- ☐ 3. a lecture
- ☐ 4. the lead
- ☐ 5. a break
- ☐ 6. an auditorium

B

- a. a short rest
- b. a large building used for concerts
- c. someone who has completed a university degree
- d. a long talk on a particular subject
- e. something that is very successful or popular
- f. the main person in a band or group

- c. Read the questions that Lex Benedict asked the rock group. Then match the answers below to the correct questions.

Questions:

- ☐ 1. Do you all teach at State University?
- ☐ 2. Who had the idea to start a rock group?
- ☐ 3. Will you be playing at other colleges?
- ☐ 4. Do you want to give another concert at State University?
- ☐ 5. Would you like to give up your present jobs to play in the rock group full time?

Answers:

- a. We'd love to give another concert at State University.
- b. It was John's idea. He's crazy about rock music.
- c. None of us are thinking of giving up our present jobs at the moment.
- d. No, not all of us work at State University.
- e. Oh, yes. We'll be playing at lots of other places.

- d. Write three more questions that Lex Benedict could ask the group. Exchange questions with a partner and have him/her answer your questions.

Questions:

- 1. \_\_\_\_\_
- 2. \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. \_\_\_\_\_

- e. With a partner, practice the end of the interview with the rock group.



## The Garbage Man

- a. Do you remember the reading about the artist, Harry Morgan?  
Complete this newspaper review of his exhibition with the words below.

collection • exhibition • fan • materials • models • sculptures • works of art

Josh Hammond's Art Column

### CREATING NEW THINGS FROM OLD

The Plaza Art Gallery is now showing a very interesting (1) \_\_\_\_\_ of Harry Morgan's "garbage art". Harry is known as the "champion of garbage art" because he creates (2) \_\_\_\_\_ from the garbage he collects. Over the years he has used a variety of (3) \_\_\_\_\_ for his art.

He used to build (4) \_\_\_\_\_ from bicycle parts and broken machines! His latest work, which is being exhibited at the Plaza, includes (5) \_\_\_\_\_ made only from wastepaper.



After seeing Harry Morgan's (6) \_\_\_\_\_, I can definitely say that I've become a (7) \_\_\_\_\_ of his garbage art and I recommend anyone who has the chance to see it as soon as possible!

**The Harry Morgan Exhibition is on at the Plaza Art Gallery on 50<sup>th</sup> Avenue for the month of November.**

