

Paraphrasing

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I last _____

2. I have studied French since I was 10 years old.

I started _____

3. My parents got married in 1995.

They have _____

4. I started dance lessons one month ago.

Four weeks ago _____

5. I was five years old when I started school.

I went _____

Paraphrasing Answers

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I last **went to Australia in 2005.**

2. I have studied French since I was 10 years old.

I started **studying French when I was 10.**

3. My parents got married in 1995.

They have **been married since 1995.**

4. I started dance lessons one month ago.

Four weeks ago, **I started dance lessons.**

5. I was five years old when I started school.

I went **to school for the first time when I was five.**

Paraphrasing

Use the word in brackets to help make one sentence.

You will need to make sure that the sentence is written in your own words.

1. She works with a lot of chefs. The chefs create a lot of delicious food. (who)

2. My mum works in a shop. The shop sells books and magazines. (which)

3. This is Australia. Nicole Kidman was born here. (where)

4. Pop is a style of music. It's popular with young people. (which)

5. This is my brother. He likes snakes. (who)

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Challenge

Write your own example on the lines below.

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1. She works with a lot of chefs. The chefs make a lot of delicious food. (who)

She works a lot with chefs who make delicious food.

2. My mum works in a shop. The shop sells books and magazines. (which)

My mum works in a shop which sells books and magazines.

3. This is Australia. Nicole Kidman was born here. (where)

Australia is where Nicole Kidman was born.

4. Pop is a style of music. It's popular with young people. (which)

Pop is a popular style of music which is liked by young people.

5. This is my brother. He likes snakes. (who)

My brother is the one who likes snakes.

Challenge

Write your own example on the lines below.

Answers will vary.

Paraphrasing

Read each of the statements. Write each one in your own words.

1. He broke two of his front teeth when he fell off his bike.

2. My mum went to the bank to take some money out.

3. As soon as I got to the bus stop, the bus arrived.

4. She looked like she was going to run away.

5. I want to have a party, but my house isn't big enough.

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Challenge

Write two of your own examples on the lines below.

1. _____

2. _____

Paraphrasing Answers

Read each of the statements. Write each one in your own words.

1. He broke two of his front teeth when he fell off his bike.

When he fell off his bike, he broke his two front teeth.

2. My mum went to the bank to take some money out.

She went to the bank so she could take some money out.

3. As soon as I got to the bus stop, the bus arrived.

No sooner had I got to the bus stop than the bus arrived.

4. She looked like she was going to run away.

She looked as if she was going to run away.

5. I want to have a party, but my house isn't big enough.

I wish I had a big enough house to have a party.

Challenge

Write your own example on the lines below.

1. Answers will vary.

2. Answers will vary.