

TITRE DE LA LEÇON: RELATIVES PRONOUNS (*who, which, where, whose, whom and that*)

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A relative pronoun is a pronoun that introduces a relative clause and refers to an antecedent. Here are some relative pronouns: *who, which, where, whose* and *that*.

a-We use **who** to refer to people (subject).

Example: A writer is someone **who** writes books

b-We use **which** to refer to things (subject or object).

Example: A robot is a machine **which** replaces human workers.

c-We use **where** to refer to places.

Example: Brazzaville is the town **where** I was born.

d-We use **whose** to indicate the possession.

Example: I saw the man **whose** car was stolen.

e-We use **whom** to refer to a person (object).

Example: He is the person with **whom** I travelled last week.

Note:

We often use **that** instead of **which**.

Example: School violence is a problem **that** we must solve.

Exercise one: Complete these sentences with *who, which, whom, whose* or *where*.

- 1-It is the book I've just read.
- 2- Paul, phone is on sale, has sent a message.
- 3-The woman I met yesterday has called me.
- 4- That was the bus stopped.
- 5- They are the people helped me during my trip.

Exercise two: Join the sentences with *who, which, whose* or *where*. Make any necessary changes

Example: I called a man. He works for Trans Bony. *I called a man who works for Trans Bony.*

- 1- I work with a man. His parents are in Paris.
- 2- A vet is a doctor. He treats animals.
- 3-These are bibles. We received from our church.
- 4- This is the supermarket. We do our shopping here.
- 5- This is the exercise. We must do for homework.
- 6-These are the musicians. Their show was very interesting.

Exercise three: Rewrite two sentences in exercise 2 using *that*.

Exercise four: Complete the sentences with your own ideas using *who, which/that, whose* or *where*.

Example: A musician is a person→ *A musician is a person who sings and/ or plays a musical instrument.*

1- A forest is a place

2- A teacher is a person

3-That's the pupil

4- This is the dog

5- He told me something

6-This is the place