

• WHERE

It is used when we refer to a place and is placed after the noun referring to the place.



The box where the old toys are is in the garage.



That library, where I used to go after school, is going to be restored.

• WHEN

It is used when we refer to a period of time. It is placed after the noun referring to the time.



I still remember the day when you proposed.



The year 2010, when I went to study abroad, was the best of my life.

Activity

1 Choose the correct relative pronoun (who, which, whose)

- a. This is the bank which was robbed yesterday.
- b. A boy whose sister is in my class was in the bank at that time.
- c. The man who robbed the bank had two pistols.
- d. He came with a friend whose waited outside in the car.
- e. The woman whose gave him the money was young.
- f. The people who were in the bank were very frightened.
- g. He didn't wait at the traffic lights which were red.

2 Decide whether the relative pronoun is necessary or not.

1. This is the picture **that** Jane painted.

1. relative pronoun is necessary
2. relative pronoun is not necessary

2. Do you know the man **who** is speaking on the phone?

1. relative pronoun is necessary
2. relative pronoun is not necessary

3. We ate the sweets **which** my mother had bought.

1. relative pronoun is necessary
2. relative pronoun is not necessary

4. This is the house **that** was broken into.

1. relative pronoun is necessary
2. relative pronoun is not necessary

5. Is this the boy **who** plays the piano?

1. relative pronoun is necessary
2. relative pronoun is not necessary

4 Re-write these sentences using relative clauses. Use who, whose and which.

1. He drank the juice. He made the juice. **He drank the juice which he made.**

2. A lion is an animal. It is very strong A lion is an animal which is very strong

3. The girl speaks Chinese. Her mother writes poems the girl speaks Chinese whose mother writes poems

4. A detective is someone. He discovers the truth about crimes a detective is someone who discovers the truth about crimes

5. Yesterday I met the girl. Her sister is a supermodel Yesterday I met the girl whose sister is a supermodel

5 Match the Word with the right definition.

1. A banana

2. A hat

3. A pony

4. A dentist

5. A bus

A. Is a person who pulls teeth.

B. Is a horse which is very small.

C. Is a fruit which is long and yellow.

D. Is a big car which carries a lot of people.

E. Is a thing which people wear on their heads.