

**Exercise 1 : Join these pairs of sentences using a relative-clause.**

1. The car was driven by Jim Brown. It won the race.

Ans The car which was driven by Jim Brown won the race.

2. Pass me the salt. It is on the table.

Ans Pass me the salt which is on the table.

3. The woman is a computer programmer. I met her at the dance last night.

Ans I met the woman who is a computer programmer at the dance last night.

4. The exercise is all wrong. John did it for homework last night.

Ans John did the exercise which is all wrong for homework last night.

5. The chair is not safe. You're sitting on it.

Ans You are sitting on the chair which is not safe.

6. The student failed his exam. His work has always been bad.

Ans The student whose work has always been bad failed his exam.

7. I like the dress. Its sleeves are long.

Ans I like the dress whose sleeves are long.

8. Where's the girl? I borrowed her bicycle.

Ans Where is the girl whom I borrowed bicycle?

**Exercise 2 : Which sentence is not true?**

- 1
  - a. The eggs I bought yesterday are bad.
  - b. The people you were living with in Paris is coming to see you.
  - c. The girl whom lives opposite my house is very pretty.
  - d. The garden that is at the back of the house has a tennis court.

Ans b

2.
  - a. The flowers my friends gave them to me have died.
  - b. The water he drank was dirty.
  - c. The pretty girl to whom you were speaking just now slapped my friend's face.
  - d. The man whom you are talking about left last week.

Ans a

3.
  - a. The policeman whose helmet you knocked off is at the door.
  - b. The pretty girl who is sitting at the desk is a secretary.
  - c. The girl who works in the box-office is my sister.
  - d. I don't like the house where he lives in.

Ans d

4.
  - a. The pudding she made it this afternoon is a very good one.
  - b. The window that was broken is now mended.
  - c. The street that leads to my house is flooded
  - d. The woman whom you spoke to in the street is my classroom teacher.

Ans a

5. a. There's the lady whose purse has been stolen.  
b. That's the knife and fork I eat with.  
c. The knife we use it to cut the bread with is very sharp.  
d. The girl whose mother I was talking to has left the room.

Ans c

**Circle the correct relative clause.**

1. Brian is the student **who's/whose** always asking a lot of questions in class.  
2. She is the girl **whose/who's** mother is a neurosurgeon at St Thomas' Hospital.  
3. This is the house **which/who** the Smiths bought last month.  
4. He was shouting at the driver **whose/who's** car had broken down in the middle of the road.  
5. The village in **where/which** he was born is 20 miles from Edinburgh.  
6. 1979 was the year **when/which** we moved to Argentina.  
7. The street **where/which** she lives is one of the most expensive streets in London.  
8. It was this time last year **which/when** we first met.