

Exercises on RELATIVE CLAUSES

I. **Choose the best answer :**

1. The woman _____ lives next door is a doctor.
a. whom b. who c. which d. whose
2. The boy _____ Mary likes is my son .
a. whom b. who c. which d. whose
3. The boy _____ eyes are brown is my son.
a. who b. whom c. which d. whose
4. The book _____ is on the table is interesting.
a. who b. whom c. which d. whose
5. The book _____ you bought yesterday is interesting.
a. whom b. who c. which d. whose
- 6.The table _____ legs are broken should be repaired.
a. whom b. who c. which d. whose
7. The book _____ you bought yesterday is interesting.
a. who b. whom c. whose d. /
8. This is the room _____ oo6 was killed.
a. when b. where c. why d. which
9. Bondi is the beautiful beach _____ I used to sunbathe.
a. when b. where c. which d. why
10. Dec 26th, 2005 was the day _____ the terrible tsunami happened.
a. when b. where c. why d. which
11. Sunday is the day _____ I go to Water Park with my kids.
a. a. when b. where c. which d. why
12. Do you know the reason _____ 006 was killed ?
a. when b. where c. which d. why
- 13 That was the reason _____ he didn't marry her.
a. when b. where c. why d. which
14. An architect is someone _____ designs buildings.
a. who b. whom c. which d. whose
15. What was the name of the girl_____ phoned you last night ?
a. who b. whom c. which d. whose
16. What was the name of the girl _____ you phoned last night ?
a. who b. whom c. which d. whose
17. My brother Jim , _____ lives in Houston, is a doctor.
a. that b. who c. whom d. which
18. Brad told me about his new job, _____ he's enjoying very much.
a. that b. who c. whom d. which
19. We stay at the Grand Hotel, _____ ann recommended to us .
a. who b. whom c. which d. that
20. My English teacher _____ comes from Australia, loves computers.
a. who b. whom c. which d. that

II. Choose the words or phrases that are not correct in standard English

1. What do you call a person who job is to edit a film ?
a b c d
2. Many film whose are about violence are harmful to our children .
a b c d
3. The advertisements whom I have seen on the biiboards were painted colourfully.
b c d
4. The US, that is one of the most powerful countries, decided to declare a war to Iraq
a b c d
5. The book whom I am reading is on information technology.
a b c d

6. Mother Teresa, whom was the founder of the Missionaries of charity, was born in Yugoslavia on August 27th, 1910.
7. He is the man whom passport was stolen in Cambridge.
8. Dr. James, which is the professor of this class, will be absent this week because of his illness.
9. The car who I bought used to be my father's.
10. He was very surprised when he visited London, in that the drivers always drive on the right hand side of the street.
11. Do you know the reason when Englishmen travel to the left.
12. New Year Day is the day where all family members gather and enjoy it together.
13. Peter said that it was her which had stolen his suitcase
14. At last they found the woman and her cat which were badly injured by the fire .
15. I was not aware of the place which Peter had spent his holidays.

III. Transformation MCQs. on Relative Clauses :

A. Choose the best phrase to complete each given sentence:

- “Who is the professor?” _ “ He’s the man _____.”**
 - which is talking to Mr. Smith now
 - that talks to Mr. Smith now
 - talk to Mr. Smith now
 - talking to Mr. Smith now
- Is that the man _____?**
 - you lent the money to
 - you lent the money
 - whom did you lend the money
 - whom you lent the money
- He was happy to find the kind of job _____.**
 - which they had trained him for
 - that he had training in
 - for which he had been trained
 - that was for his training
- Do you happen to know _____?**
 - of whom this watch is
 - whose watch is this
 - whose watch this is
 - this watch of whose
- Evening programs have been opened for people _____ during the day.**
 - whom work
 - who work
 - who works
 - whose work
- There was a lot of corrosion on the body of the car _____.**
 - that the paint had come off
 - which the paint had come off
 - whose paint had come off
 - where the paint had come off
- They are my two brothers _____ are architects like me. They don’t like the job.**
 - which
 - neither of whom
 - neither
 - who neither
- I missed the train _____ catch to work.**

- a. which usually
- b. that usually
- c. usually for me
- d. I usually

B. Choose a sentence that has the same meaning with the given one before each:

9. “This is the first time I have ever seen such a beautiful view.”

- a. This is the first time which I ever saw such a beautiful view.
- b. This is the first time I ever saw such a beautiful view.
- c. This is the most beautiful view that I have ever seen.
- d. This is the first time when I ever saw such beautiful a view.

10. “I sometimes regret getting married so early.”

- a. There are some occasions when I wish I hadn’t got married so early.
- b. I sometimes feel sorry to get married so early.
- c. Sometimes I am sad because I am married.
- d. There are some opportunities when I am really regretful of getting married early.

11. “That girl’s mother used to work with mine.”

- a. That’s the girl whose her mother used to work with mine.
- b. That’s the girl whose mother used to work with mine.
- c. That’s the girl the mother of whose used to work with mine.
- d. That’s the girl her mother used to work with mine.

12. “Her friends came and saw her in the hospital, which was kind.”

- a. It was kind of her to come and see her friends in the hospital.
- b. It was kind to her friends who came and saw her in the hospital.
- c. It was kind of her friends to come and see her in the hospital.
- d. It was kind to come and see her friends in the hospital.

13. “I have never seen anything more embarrassing than this.”

- a. This is the first time that I had ever seen such an embarrassing thing.
- b. This was the first time that I have ever seen such an embarrassing thing.
- c. This is the most embarrassing thing that I have ever seen.
- d. This is the most embarrassing thing that I had ever seen.

14. “He is a reliable person, which is different from what people think.”

- a. People think differently about reliable person.
- b. Contrary to what people think, he is reliable.
- c. Contrary to what people think, he is unreliable.
- d. He, who is reliable, is not what people think.

15. “It was his incompetence which led to their capture.”

- a. They were captured because he was competent
- b. Had he been competent they would not have been captured.
- c. His competence was because of their capture.
- d. Unless he had not been competent, they would have been captured.

ANSWER KEY

I. 1. A	2. B	3. D	4. C	5. C	6.D	7. D	8.
B	9. B	10. A	11. A	12. A	13. C	14. A	15. A
16. B	17.B	18. D	19. C	20.A			

II.							
1. B	2.B	3.A	4.A	5.B	6.A	7.C	
8.A	9.A	10.C	11.C	12.B	13. C	14. C	15. C