

RELATIVE CLAUSES

1.

- Complete each sentence using who/whom/whose/where.
- 1 What's the name of the man whose car you borrowed?
 - 2 A cemetery is a place people are buried.
 - 3 A pacifist is a person believes that all wars are wrong.
 - 4 An orphan is a child parents are dead.
 - 5 What was the name of the person to you spoke on the phone?
 - 6 The place we spent our holidays was really beautiful.
 - 7 This school is only for children first language is not English.
 - 8 The woman with he fell in love left him after a month.

2.

- Correct the sentences that are wrong and put in commas where necessary. If the sentence is correct, write 'OK':
- 1 Colin told me about his new job that he's enjoying very much.
..... Colin told me about his new job, which he's enjoying very much.
 - 2 My office that is on the second floor is very small.
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 - 3 The office I'm using at the moment is very small.
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 - 4 Ben's father that used to be a teacher now works for a TV company.
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 - 5 The doctor that examined me couldn't find anything wrong.
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 - 6 The sun that is one of millions of stars in the universe provides us with heat and light.
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3.

- 1 I don't like stories have unhappy endings.
A that B they C which D who
- 2 I didn't believe them at first, but in fact everything was true.
A they said B that they said C what they said
- 3 What's the name of the man ?
A you borrowed his car B which car you borrowed
C whose car you borrowed D his car you borrowed
- 4 Colin told me about his new job, very much.
A that he's enjoying B which he's enjoying C he's enjoying
D he's enjoying it
- 5 Sarah couldn't meet us, was a pity.
A that B it C what D which
- 6 George showed me some pictures by his father.
A painting B painted C that were painted D they were painted

4.

- There is a mistake with relative clauses in each of the email extracts below. Find the mistakes and correct them.
- 1 I wonder if you can help me. I want to get in touch with the woman which we met at the meeting last week. Do you know the one I mean?
..... which who
 - 2 I'm sending this email to ask for more information about the language courses which I saw them advertised in *The Daily Star* yesterday.
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 - 3 How are you getting on with your new job? I'm finding my new job exhausting, that is not surprising considering I have to travel so much.
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 - 4 I really enjoyed the lecture which you gave it on Wednesday, and am thinking about doing my assignment on the same topic.
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 - 5 You left your notebook at my house. Do you need it? It's the one which in you have written your lecture notes.
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 - 6 I'm just emailing you to find out if you want to go to the cinema on Thursday. I've got today's newspaper which has a list of films. If you're free, let me know.
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 - 7 Can you pick up some shopping on your way home? I want some of those bread rolls what we had last week. Will you be able to stop at the shop?
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 - 8 You are clearly a person who life is full and busy and that is why we think you would like our *Ladies Personal Organiser*. For just £15.99 you ...
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