

Grammar

Defining and non-defining relative clauses

1 Choose the correct option.

- There are a lot of people in the world who / **which** prefer not to eat meat.
- The restaurant, **that** / **which** is in the city centre, is very expensive.
 - Zoe, **whose** / **who** sister is having the dinner party, invited us to come.
 - Anthony, **who** / **where** loves to cook, wants to become a chef.
 - Is 15th December the day **which** / **when** you were born?
 - That's the house **which** / **where** I lived when I was younger.
 - Dans le Noir is a unique restaurant **where** / **which** is in London.

2 Mark the place in the relative clauses where the relative pronoun should go.

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Hannah, is my best friend, is taking me out to eat this evening. (who)

- The day my sister got married was cold and rainy. (when)
- Fast food, is my favourite kind of food, isn't very healthy but I love it anyway! (which)
- The café we had coffee yesterday was too noisy. (where)
- The sauce was on the food was tasty. (which)
- Emma, eyes are light blue, is a very beautiful woman. (whose)

Articles

3 Choose the correct option. (–) means no article.

- Where's **a** / **the** pen which I used earlier?
- Javier's is – / **the** best café in town.
 - Have you got **a** / – chair? I want to sit down.
 - Is Claire at – / **the** home at the moment?
 - / **The** walking regularly is good for your health.
 - Did you visit **an** / **the** Eiffel Tower while you were in Paris?
 - We played **a** / **the** game of football in the park.
 - He wore **a** / **an** old, green coat to the party.
 - / **The** smell is closely connected to our memories.

Vocabulary

Idioms: *have* and *take*

4 Complete the idioms with *have* or *take*.

- take your time
- _____ it from us
 - _____ an eye for
 - _____ no idea
 - _____ your mind off
 - _____ a good nose for
 - _____ note of
 - _____ an open mind
 - _____ it easy
 - _____ your breath away

Abstract nouns

5 Complete the words in the sentences with the endings in the box.

-ery	-iety	-ness	-ship	-sion (x2)	-tion
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- Everyone needs love and affection in their lives.
- It's typical for students to have feelings of anx_____ before an exam.
 - Julia is an unkind person who can't feel compas_____ for others.
 - Your friend_____ is very important to me.
 - It takes a lot of brav_____ to do things which frighten you.
 - Many older parents have feelings of loneli_____ if their children don't visit them very often.
 - Did you know that some scientists say that computer games may cause aggres_____ ?

Giving instructions

6 Number the instructions in the correct order.

- Once you've cut the onions, fry them in a pan with a little oil.
- The next step is to add the tomatoes, and cover the pan.
- When you've completed all the steps, you should serve the sauce with pasta.
- 1 Before you begin, wash your hands.
- While the onions are frying, cut the tomatoes.
- The last step is to add salt, pepper and herbs to your tomato sauce.
- Start by cutting the onions.

