

#### **ENGLISH**

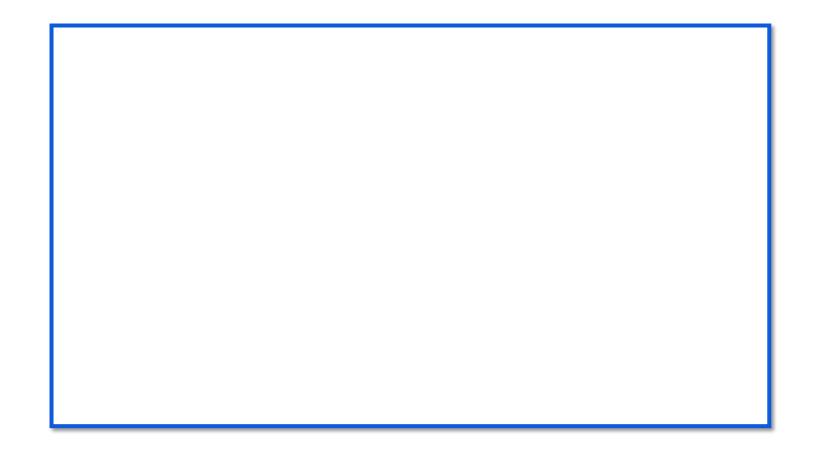
Chapter 8
Week 8



**Perfect** 







#### Adjective clauses

- 1 Read the examples and answer the questions.
  - a Andy Warhol, who was an American artist and movie producer, predicted that anyone would be able to rise to fame.
  - b There are examples everywhere of ordinary people that have become an overnight success.
  - c One influencer of whom most people have heard is Selena Gomez.



- **1** Look at the adjective clauses in sentences a and b. Which one gives us essential information (essential) and which one gives us extra information (non-essential)?
- **2** Do we use commas with essential or nonessential adjective clauses?
- **3** Which relative pronouns do we use for each of these things?
  - **c** possessions **e** times **a** people
  - **b** things **d** places
- **4** What's the difference between *who* and *whom*?

#### essential: b non-essential: a

commas: non-essential no commas: essential

people: who or that possessions: whose times: when things: which or that places: where

who is for subjects, whom for objects

### 2 Match 1–5 with a–e to make sentences.

- 1 There are around 7.8 billion people in the world,
- 2 There are very few countries in the world
- **3** More than 90% of us would use a brand
- 4 A big channel for marketing is Instagram,
- 5 The best time to post on Instagram is 5:00 pm,

- a whose users tend to be younger.
- **b** of whom 4.5 billion use the internet.
- **c** when a lot of people engage with the app.
- **d** where there aren't Facebook® users.
- e which our favorite influencer uses.

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Join the phrases to make a question with an adjective clause. Use *that* where possible.

Show One by One 🔨 Have you ever posted a video / The video promoted a brand Have vou ever posted a video that promoted a brand? Would you like to live on a tropical island / There's limited internet access would you like to live on a tropical island where there's limited internet access

Would you use your celebrity status to raise awareness like Angela Mármol / She uses hers to talk about bullying

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Do you tag friends on social media / They haven't given you permission

you tag friends on social media that haven't given

Do you remember the day / You first posted something on social media

you remember the day when you first posted something on social media?

# Circle the correct option to complete the sentences.

#### **Omitting the relative pronoun**

One influencer most people have heard of is Selena Gomez.

Musical.ly, which TikTok bought in 2017, no longer exists.

- 1 In the **first/second** example, we have omitted the relative pronoun.
- 2 The omitted relative pronoun is **which who**.
- We can omit the relative pronoun when it is the **subject object** of the verb in the adjective clause.

Complete the article with relative pronouns. If the relative pronoun can be omitted, write '-'.

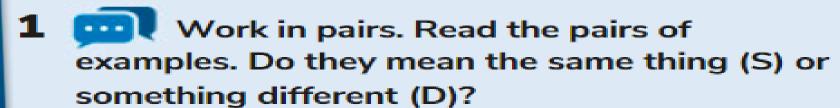
## IT'S ALL A HOAX!

While some use social media to increase their celebrity status, there are others 1 Who use it to trick us into believing things 2 that are not true. These are internet hoaxes 3 \_\_that\_\_\_ people say are harmless fun. Lyle Zapato created the 'Pacific Northwest tree octopus', 4 which apparently lived in the rainforest. He created the content for the Tree Octopus website 5 Where people could find out more.

Complete the article with relative pronouns. If the relative pronoun can be omitted, write '-'.

So, don't forget to double-check your information on a reliable website **9** \_\_that\_\_ will confirm what is true.

#### Comparing



- 1 a Dutch teenagers find it much easier to talk to adults than teens in other countries.
  - b Teenagers in other countries don't find it nearly as easy to talk to adults as Dutch teenagers. same
- 2 a Dutch teenagers enjoy a bit more freedom than teenagers in other European countries.
  - b Dutch teenagers are by far the freest youth group in Europe. different

- 2 Look at the examples in exercise 1 again and complete the rules with a bit, not nearly or much.
  - 1 We use a lot, far and much with comparative adjectives and by far with superlative adjectives for a big difference.
  - 2 We use slightly, a little and a bit with comparative adjectives for a small difference.
  - We can also use just, not quite and not nearly with as ... as ...

## as ... as, not so/as ... as

We use as ... as in positive sentences and questions.

In negative sentences, we can use so or as with not

Are young people in other parts of the world as happy as Dutch teenagers?

They aren't as/so happy as Dutch teenagers.

- Complete the second sentence so that it means the same as the first. Use the word in parentheses.
- 1 It's more difficult to find time for my friends. (so)
  It is not so easy fore to find time for my friends.
- 2 I've never attracted as many followers as now.

  (most)

  These are the most followers I've ever
- 3 I'm taking fewer subjects than last year. (not)
  I'm not taking as many ast year.
- 4 I don't spend nearly as much time on social media as I used to. (far) I spend far less time ial media than I used to.
- 5 Not many of my classmates live nearly as far from school as I do. (Iot)
  I live a lot farther from school
  classmates.

## 5 Find and correct five mistakes in the questions. One question is correct.

- 1 Are you just so as happy alone as when you're with people?
- 2 Who's the ...... funniest person you know?
- 3 Would you be far lonelier living on a desert island than living in a large city?

- 4 Is happiness far more desirable than fame and fortune?
- 5 What's the least interesting TV series you've ever seen?
- 6 People say winning isn't as important as taking part. Do you agree?

7 Complete the text with one word in each blank.

#### **GRAMMAR ROUND-UP**

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8

## THE SECRET TO HAPPINESS? TAKE CARE OF YOUR FRIENDSHIPS!

Research 1 \_\_\_\_\_\_ shown time after time that people 2 \_\_\_\_\_\_ enjoy a good relationship with their friends are often 3 \_\_\_\_\_\_ happiest. Let's take a brief look at one interesting friendship. 4 \_\_\_\_\_\_ you know that singer Rihanna and actress Cara Delevingne have 5 \_\_\_\_\_\_ friends

- **6** <u>for</u> over five years? Rihanna and Cara
- 7 \_\_met\_\_\_ at a fashion show and
- 8 <u>since</u> then, they've known they can count on each other **9** <u>when</u> one of them has a problem. Is that the same for you? Can you depend on your friends? 10 \_\_Will\_\_\_ you be there the next time your friend needs your help?

