Relative Pronouns Exercises

The following exercises will help you gain greater understanding about how relative pronouns work. Choose the best answer to complete each sentence.

1. The festival, _____ lasted all day, ended with a banquet.

A. That

B. Who

C. Which

D. What

2. I am looking for someone _____ can watch my dog while I go on vacation.

A. Which

B. Who

C. Whom

D. Whoever

3. The police needed details _____ could help identify the robber.

A. Who

B. Whatever

C. That

D. What

4. I'd like to take you to a café _____ serves excellent coffee.

A. What

B. Whatever

C. Which

D. Whichever

5. The clubhouse, in _____ the dance was held, housed about 200 people.

A. Which

B. Where

C. That

D. Whom

6. You can choose one person, _____ you like, to share the cruise with you.

A. Whomever

B. That

C. Which

D. Whom

7. I saw the shoes _____ you bought last week on sale for less this week.

A. When

B. That

C. Who

D. Whom

8. The winners, _____ known, will receive money and other prizes.

A. Whoever

B. Who

C. When

D. That

9. This is the place _____ we met.

A. When

B. Where

C. Who

D. That

10. The baby, _____ nap had been interrupted, wailed loudly.

A. Whose

B. Whomever

C. Whom

D. Who

Answers

1. C – The festival, *which* lasted all day, ended with a banquet.

2. B – I am looking for someone *who* can watch my dog while I go on vacation.

3. C – The police needed details *that* could help identify the robber.

4. C – I'd like to take you to a café *which* serves excellent coffee.

5. A – The clubhouse, in *which* the dance was held, housed about 200 people.

6. A – You can choose one person, *whomever* you like, to share the cruise with you.

7. B – I saw the shoes *that* you bought last week on sale for less this week.

8. C – The winners, *when* known, will receive money and other prizes.

9. B – This is the place *where* we met.

10. A – The baby, *whose* nap had been interrupted, wailed loudly.

List of Relative Pronouns

Who

Whom

That

Which

Whoever

Whomever

Whichever