**Practice Sheet: Relative Pronouns**

**Exercise 1: Placing relative pronouns correctly**

These sentences help illustrate the use of different relative pronouns in various contexts, highlighting their roles in connecting clauses and providing additional information about nouns or pronouns within sentences. Answers are provided in another document.

1. The person \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ called you is on the line.
2. I don't know \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to believe anymore.
3. She's the scientist \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ discovery changed the world.
4. This is the painting \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ was stolen last year.
5. The students \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ passed the test were very happy.
6. To \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ did you give the keys?
7. The cake \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ you baked is delicious.
8. He's the one \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ advice I always trust.
9. The car, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ color is red, looks amazing.
10. It's something \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ happens once in a lifetime.
11. The teacher \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ we respect is retiring.
12. I'm looking for a book \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ can help me with my project.
13. She knows the person \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ house was robbed.
14. The company \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ he works for is very successful.
15. This is the reason \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ I called you.
16. The cat, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ whiskers are long, is very cute.
17. The place \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ we met is now closed.
18. The movies \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ she likes are mostly comedies.
19. I have a friend \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ can speak six languages.
20. The phone \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ was left on the table is mine.
21. The man, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ wife is a famous actress, is a director.
22. The story \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ she told me was fascinating.
23. The bag \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ you found belongs to my sister.
24. The athlete \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ won the race is from Kenya.
25. The flowers \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ grow in my garden are very fragrant.
26. The dog \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ barked all night kept me awake.
27. The hotel \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ we stayed at was very comfortable.
28. The book \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ title escapes me was very good.
29. The day \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ you arrive is very important to me.
30. The prize goes to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ sells the most tickets.

**Exercise 2: True or false statements**

Determine whether the statements about all statements are true or false.

**Statement 1**

“Whose” is used as a possessive form for both people and objects.

1. True [ ]
2. False [ ]

**Statement 2**

“Which” is used only for referring to people.

1. True [ ]
2. False [ ]

**Statement 3**

“That” can be used interchangeably with “which” in restrictive clauses.

1. True [ ]
2. False [ ]

**Statement 4**

“Who” can refer to both people and animals depending on the context.

1. True [ ]
2. False [ ]

**Statement 5**

“Whom” is used as the subject of a verb.

1. True [ ]
2. False [ ]

**Statement 6**

“Which” can introduce both restrictive and non-restrictive clauses.

1. True [ ]
2. False [ ]

**Statement 7**

“That” should not be used to introduce non-restrictive clauses.

1. True [ ]
2. False [ ]

**Statement 8**

“Whose” can only refer to people, not to animals or inanimate objects.

1. True [ ]
2. False [ ]

**Exercise 3: Multiple choice questions**

This multiple-choice quiz tests your understanding of relative pronouns through questions about their functions and rules. This approach will focus on conceptual knowledge about “who,” “whom,” “whose,” “which,” and “that.”

**Question 1**

Which relative pronoun is used to refer to things and animals?

1. Who [ ]
2. Whom [ ]
3. Whose [ ]
4. Which [ ]

**Question 2**

Which relative pronoun is used as a possessive form?

1. Who [ ]
2. Whom [ ]
3. Whose [ ]
4. Which [ ]

**Question 3**

Which statement is true about the relative pronoun “that”?

1. It can refer to both people and things in non-restrictive clauses. [ ]
2. It is always followed by a comma. [ ]
3. It can replace "who" or "which" in restrictive clauses. [ ]
4. It is primarily used in questions. [ ]

**Question 4**

In which situation should you use “whom”?

1. When referring to the subject performing the action. [ ]
2. When referring to the object of a verb or preposition. [ ]
3. When indicating possession. [ ]
4. When referring to things or ideas. [ ]

**Question 5**

Which relative pronoun should be used to add non-essential information about a noun, and is typically set off by commas?

1. Who [ ]
2. That [ ]
3. Whom [ ]
4. Which [ ]

**Question 6**

What is the primary use of the relative pronoun “who”?

1. To refer to objects. [ ]
2. To refer to people as the subject of a verb. [ ]
3. To introduce possessive clauses. [ ]
4. To refer to animals. [ ]

**Question 7**

“Whose” can refer to what?

1. Only people [ ]
2. People, animals, and things [ ]
3. Only things [ ]
4. Only animals [ ]

**Question 8**

Which of the following is NOT a relative pronoun?

1. Who [ ]
2. Whom [ ]
3. Whose [ ]
4. Their [ ]