

Fill in the blanks.

1. A relative clause is one type of _____ clause.
2. Relative clauses begin with a(n) _____ and contain a(n) _____ and a(n) _____ with optional _____ and _____.
3. Relative clauses work as a(n) _____ in the sentence.

Circle the correct relative pronoun for the sentence.

4. Debbie cannot afford the dress _____ she bought.
 who whom whose which that or which
5. Debbie, _____ often spends too much money on clothes, is going to the mall again.
 who whom whose which that or which
6. My sister is a friend of Debbie, _____ I have known for five years.
 who whom whose which that or which
7. The dress, _____ is completely covered in lace, costs \$55.
 who whom whose which that or which

Write the relative clause in each sentence on the line. Write NONE if the sentence does not contain a relative clause.

8. She is committed to the path which she has chosen.

9. The box office has tickets that are in the right side of the loge section.

10. A teacher whose room has a projector and screen is holding the meeting today.

11. The city where her grandparents retired is in southern Florida.

Write a relative clause and add any needed punctuation to complete the sentence. On the line below, explain why you added or did not add commas to separate the relative clause.

12. Brad needs \$85 to buy the skateboard _____.

13. The dentist _____ does not see patients on Friday.

Fill in the blanks

1. A relative clause is one type of DEPENDENT clause.
2. Relative clauses begin with a RELATIVE PRONOUN and contains a SUBJECT and VERB with optional COMPLEMENTS and MODIFIERS.
3. Relative clauses work as a(n) ADJECTIVE in the sentence.

Circle the correct relative pronoun for the sentence.

4. Debbie cannot afford the dress she bought.
 who whom whose which that or which
5. Debbie, often spends too much money on clothes, is going to the mall again.
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6. My sister is a friend of Debbie, I have known for five years.
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7. The dress, is completely covered in lace, costs \$55.
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Write the relative clause in each sentence on the line. Write **NONE** if the sentence does not contain a relative clause.

8. She is committed to the path which she has chosen.
 WHICH SHE HAS CHOSEN
9. The box office has tickets that are in the right side of the loge section.
 THAT ARE ON THE RIGHT SIDE OF THE LOGE SECTION
10. A teacher whose room has a projector and screen is holding the meeting today.
 WHOSE ROOM HAS A PROJECTOR AND SCREEN
11. The city where her grandparents retired is in southern Florida.
 WHERE HER GRANDPARENTS RETIRED

Write a relative clause and add any needed punctuation to complete the sentence. On the line below, explain why you added or did not add commas to separate the relative clause. **ANSWERS WILL VARY**

12. Brad needs \$85 to buy the skateboard THAT HE WANTS.
 NO COMMAS BECAUSE THE CLAUSE IS NECESSARY TO IDENTIFY THE SKATEBOARD
13. The dentist ,WHO GRADUATED FROM YALE, does not see patients on Friday.
 COMMAS BECAUSE THE CLAUSE IS UNNECESSARY ADDED INFORMATION ABOUT THE DENTIST

Scaffolding Suggestions

Fill in the blanks. **SCAFFOLDING SUGGESTION—Provide a word bank.**

relative pronoun

dependent

subject

adjective

complements

modifiers

verb

Circle the correct relative pronoun for the sentence. **SCAFFOLDING SUGGESTION—Give hints.**

4. Debbie cannot afford the dress ____ she bought.

(necessary to identify which dress)

5. Debbie, ____ often spends too much money on clothes, is going to the mall again.

(not necessary to identify the PERSON, Debbie)

6. My sister is a friend of Debbie, ____ I have known for five years.

(not necessary to identify the person, Debbie, not the subject of the clause)

7. The dress, ____ is completely covered in lace, costs \$55.

(not necessary to identify which dress)

Write the relative clause in each sentence on the line. Write NONE if the sentence does not contain a relative clause. **SCAFFOLDING SUGGESTION—Give hints.**

8. She is committed to the path which she has chosen.

____ begins with which _____

9. The box office has tickets that are in the right side of the loge section.

____ begins with that _____

10. A teacher whose room has a projector and screen is holding the meeting today.

____ begins with whose _____

11. The city where her grandparents retired is in southern Florida.

____ begins with where _____

Write a relative clause and add any needed punctuation to complete the sentence. On the line below, explain why you added or did not add commas to separate the relative clause. **SCAFFOLDING SUGGESTION—Give first word and punctuation.**

12. Brad needs \$85 to buy the skateboard __that_____.

____ necessary to identify which skateboard costs \$85 _____

13. The dentist, _who_____, does not see patients on Friday.

____ person with added unnecessary information _____