

6 Characters in Our Favourite Stories

Relative Pronouns – who / which

Date:

Grade:

Look at that dog **which** has curly brown fur. It's so cute.

Look at the woman **who** has the same hairstyle as the dog does! She must be its owner.

Have fun, Jojo!



Grammar Explained

- a) We use the relative pronoun **'who'** to link two clauses that talk about the same people or animal characters. We can also use **'who'** to give extra information about them.

Alan was the athlete

who

won the gold medal.

The wolf

bullies the little pigs

is bad.

Chloe,

who works with me,

is having a baby soon.

- b) We use the relative pronoun **'which'** to link two clauses that talk about the same things or animals. We can also use **'which'** to give extra information about them.

Penguins are birds

which

cannot fly.

The city

is famous for its temples

is my hometown.

Ice cream,

which is made from milk and sugar,

comes in many flavours.



Helpful Tips

We usually use **'which'** to refer to animals. However, we can use **'who'** to refer to animal characters in stories, films, etc.

A Cody and his friends are talking about their favourite cartoon characters. Circle the correct answers.

- I bought a Super Squirrel pencil case **who / which** is big and useful.
- Hello Jiffy* is a cartoon **who / which** talks about the life of a little cat.
- In *The Mice Hunter*, **who / which** is a new film, I like Mike the Cat most because he can make friends with his enemy.
- David Anderson, **who / which** is the actor of *Catman*, will come to Hong Kong soon. Tom, **who / which** loves *Catman* very much, is very excited about it.

B Connie is reading a storybook. Look at the picture. Fill in the blanks with the correct relative pronouns. Then draw lines to match the clauses to form correct sentences.



e.g. Mr Collins is the man who

1. Lily is sniffing a flower _____

2. Tim and Tam are the boys _____

3. Mrs Hen is carrying two baskets _____

4. Mel is stealing an egg _____

5. Mr Dennis is the rabbit _____

6. The gardener is the kind man _____

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- like collecting berries.
- enjoys napping.
- has a big nose.
- is big and yellow.
- knows how to talk to trees.
- belongs to Mrs Hen.
- are full of eggs.



Daily Life Grammar

E Connie is reading the front and the back covers of a book. Complete the covers with the correct relative pronouns.

The New Adventures of Bella



The girl **1** _____ isn't afraid of anything goes camping!



Written by **Anne Wilson**
Illustrated by **Daniel Masters**

A must-read book **2** _____ promises to raise children's reading interest.

BOOK 3

Bella is going on a camping trip **3** _____ is full of challenges. This time she faces wicked animals  **4** _____ try to scare her out of the woods. She also has to find fruits **5** _____ are not poisonous to eat. Can she stay safe in the forest  **6** _____ scares many people away?

'Anne Wilson, **7** _____ is extremely creative, has written over 30 books. She is a brilliant writer **8** _____ brings thrilling tales to children around the world.' – *Bailey Magazine*

'This book talks about living in the wild, **9** _____ is a very new topic to city children. They must read this book!' – *Paul Rickman*



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