

Relative pronouns exercise

A relative pronoun is used to repeat the meaning of a previous noun; at the same time it connects a relative clause to the rest of the sentence. So it acts as a conjunction and a pronoun at the same time. Test your knowledge of relative pronouns with this grammar test.

1. I know a man has just been to Australia.

who

whose

whom

2. Show me the road leads to the railway station.

which

that

Either which or that

3. Here is the doctor cured me of Typhoid.

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who

which

that

Either who or that

4. He..... does his best should be rewarded.

who

whom

which

5. Wellington, defeated Napoleon at the Battle of Waterloo, was a great general.

who

whom

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6. He is a rascal no one trusts.

who

whom

which

7. The boy you saw yesterday is my nephew.

Please select 2 correct answers

whom

that

which

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8. The man stole the money has been arrested.

Please select 2 correct answers

who

that

whom

9. This is the house..... was built in two weeks.

which

that

Either could be used here

10. The news I heard astonished me.

that

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what

who

Answers

1. I know a man who has just been to Australia.
2. Show me the road that / which leads to the railway station.
3. Here is the doctor who / that cured me of typhoid.
4. He who does his best should be rewarded.
5. Wellington, who defeated Napoleon at the Battle of Waterloo, was a great general.
6. He is a rascal whom no one trusts.
7. The boy whom/ that you saw yesterday is my nephew.
8. The man who / that stole the money has been arrested.
9. This is the house which/that was built in two weeks.
10. The news that I heard astonished me.