



Relative Pronouns

A relative pronoun introduces a dependent (or relative) clause and connects it to an independent clause. The relative pronouns are:

that **who/whoever** **whom/whomever** **whose** **which**

The following words can also sometimes be relative pronouns:

when **where** **what**

EXAMPLE: I have a purse which closes with a zipper.

The relative pronoun is **which**. The relative clause (underlined) modifies, or describes, the noun *friend*.

Circle the relative pronoun. Underline the relative clause.

1. I saw a car that was bright orange.
2. I met a woman whose job it is to create video games.
3. I think we should go where we have never been before.
4. I don't understand what you just said.
5. I will like whomever you invite to the party.
6. There's the boy whose dog ran away.
7. I felt bad when John didn't win the contest.
8. I forgot what you asked me to do.