

## Exercises C2 Unit 2

### 1. Defining relative clauses

*Find the right word and the correct relative pronoun.*

Somebody \_\_\_\_\_ doesn't eat meat is \_\_\_\_\_.

The thing \_\_\_\_\_ tells you the time is \_\_\_\_\_.

Somebody \_\_\_\_\_ lives in the house next to your house is \_\_\_\_\_.

A place \_\_\_\_\_ is smaller than a town is \_\_\_\_\_.

The woman \_\_\_\_\_ is your father's sister is your \_\_\_\_\_.

The animal \_\_\_\_\_ loves eating mice is \_\_\_\_\_.

The man \_\_\_\_\_ is your mother's father is your \_\_\_\_\_.

A person \_\_\_\_\_ sells meat and sausages is \_\_\_\_\_.

### 2. Contact clauses

*Complete the sentences with the information given in brackets. (contact clauses)*

The underground \_\_\_\_\_ is always full. (Mr Foster / take)

He knows some of the people \_\_\_\_\_. (he / meet on the underground)

The guide answered all the questions \_\_\_\_\_. (Mrs Foster / ask)

The fax \_\_\_\_\_ makes life much easier for her. (Mrs Foster / buy)

One of the museums \_\_\_\_\_ is the Museum of London. (she / like very much.)

The salaries \_\_\_\_\_ are higher than in other cities. (accountants / get / London)

### 3. Contact clauses with prepositions

Complete the sentences with the information given in brackets. (contact clauses)

The Londoners \_\_\_\_\_ were very friendly. (I / speak to)

Here is the book \_\_\_\_\_. (I / get this information from)

Some parts of Docklands \_\_\_\_\_ are like Chicago. (I / take a photo of)

One of the nicest places \_\_\_\_\_ was Covent Garden. (I / go to)

The shop owners \_\_\_\_\_ were all very happy. (Mrs Foster / talk to)

In England you can't buy the American magazines \_\_\_\_\_ . (Mrs Foster / write for)

### 4. Whose or who's

Make sentences with *whose* or *who's*.

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\_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_

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Melanie and Pam – Their father is a journalist.

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### 5. Mixed tenses

Complete the interview with the correct verb forms.

Where \_\_\_\_\_ (you / go) in your last holidays? – To Ireland.

\_\_\_\_\_ (be) that your first holiday there? – Yes, it \_\_\_\_\_.

Where \_\_\_\_\_ (you / go) in Ireland? – To Cork. That \_\_\_\_\_

(be) a city in the south of Ireland.

And how \_\_\_\_\_ (you / get) there? – By plane and by bus. I

\_\_\_\_\_ (fly) from Basel to Shannon, and then I \_\_\_\_\_ (take) the

bus to Cork.

\_\_\_\_\_ (you / stay) with a family? – Yes, I \_\_\_\_\_ (have) a

friend in Cork.

What \_\_\_\_\_ (be) her name? – Fiona. Fiona McInerney. She

\_\_\_\_\_ (be) very nice. And she \_\_\_\_\_ (have) two younger

sisters. We \_\_\_\_\_ (have) a great time together.

\_\_\_\_\_ (Fiona / want) to come to Switzerland? – Yes, she

\_\_\_\_\_ (want) to come in her Easter holidays. I \_\_\_\_\_

(bring) her to school for some lessons.

Thank you very much, Diana. – That \_\_\_\_\_ (be) all right.

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**Does Fiona want** to come to Switzerland? – Yes, she **wants** to come in her Easter holidays. I'll **bring** her to school for some lessons.

Thank you very much, Diana. – That's all right.