



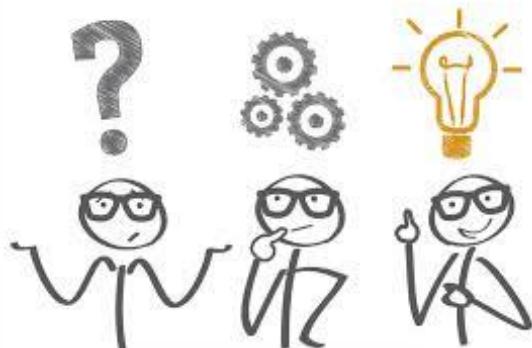
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Relative clauses

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Who, which, that

- I'm interested in working with people who are reliable and hardworking.

It's describing the characteristics of people



- My father uses computers which have 8 gb of RAM memory and 1 tb.

It's describing the characteristic of computers

- There are people **that** have big houses **that** have plenty of rooms

We use relative clauses to explain ideas for people or things



Subject relative clauses

For people

- My father has friends **who/that** have very good manners.
- There aren't many politicians **who/that** are honest.
- There have been teachers **who/that** have left their print in life.



Who = that

Who is more common for
people



For things

- In this city there are houses which/that have swimming pools.
- We love books which/that are historic or documental.
- Planes which/that are big can transport hundreds of people.



Who = that
That is more common for
things



Object relative clauses

For people

- Luis is a manager **who/that** everyone in the company can trust.

Everyone in the company can trust Luis.

- My parents are people **who/that** our neighbors love a lot.

Our neighbors love my parents.

Who = that

Who is the object of the verb





For things

- Libraries are places which/that we go to in order to find information.

We go to libraries to find information.



- Soccer is a sport which/that thousands of people around the world love to play and watch

Thousands of people love to play and watch soccer.

Who = that
That is the object of the verb



For object clauses

We can omit the pronouns

- Those are children who we love teaching.
 - Those are children we love teaching.
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- English is a language that most people use for business.
 - English is a language most people use for business.



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