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Answer Key

It's Grammar Time: Relative Pronouns (Who, Whom, Whose That, Which)

A relative pronoun connects a noun with a relative clause that gives more information about the noun.			
who	 Refers to the subject of the sentence. Can be replaced with the pronouns <i>I</i>, he, she, we, and they. 	There is a dog who has white spots.	
whom	 Refers to the object of the sentence. Can be replaced with the pronouns <i>me</i>, <i>him</i>, <i>her</i>, <i>us</i>, and <i>them</i>. 	My sister was the person to whom I was speaking.	
whose	• Refers to possession, or ownership.	I know someone <u>whose</u> tree grew tall.	
that	 Refers to things. The meaning of the sentence would change without the word and the relative clause. 	The show that I watched started at 7:00pm.	
which	 Refers to things and animals. The meaning of the sentence would not change without the word and the relative clause. (It is additional information.) 	The show, which lasted an hour, was funny.	

Directions: Write the correct pronoun from the Word Bank on the line provided.

- 1. The student ___who__ dropped the papers must clean it up.
- 2. This is the painting ____that __ I made in art class.
- 3. He is the player to <u>whom</u> the award was given after the game.
- 4. The birthday party, <u>which</u> is on Saturday, will be outside.
- 5. The musician <u>whose</u> band played loudly performed on stage.
- 6. The dinner ____that __ I helped cook last night was delicious.
- 7. A tornado, <u>which</u> touched down on the ground, destroyed four homes.
- 8. The teacher <u>whose</u> class was polite received a good report from the substitute.
- 9. He is the boy to <u>whom</u> I told the information.
- 10. A brother is someone ___who__ will teach you things and look out for you.

Directions: Write a sentence using a relative pronoun of your choice from the Word Bank. Circle the relative pronoun in your sentence. **Student answers will vary**

Word Bank

who

whom

whose

that

which