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## Section 5:- Advanced Clause Structure and Modification

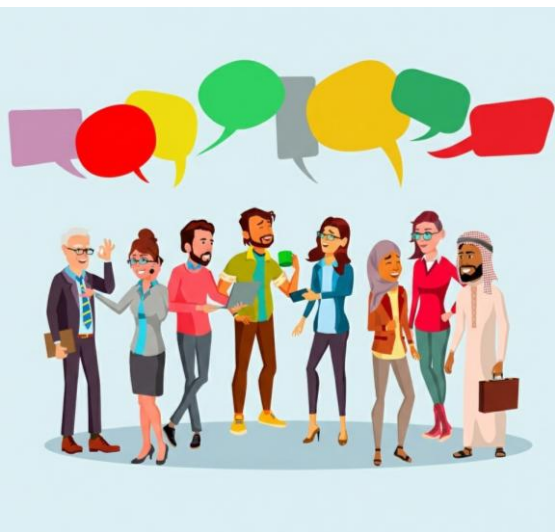


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## Section 5: Advanced Clause Structure and Modification

### 5.1 Quantifiers, Prepositions, and Reduced Relative Clauses

Use quantifiers with whom/which. Shorten clauses by removing pronoun + 'be'.

Example 1: The men, some of \_\_\_ (whom) are doctors.

Example 2: The book \_\_\_ (written) by him is great.

1. There are many problems, some of \_\_\_ (which) are very serious and urgent.
2. He has three brilliant sons, all of \_\_\_ (whom) are successful surgeons.
3. The man \_\_\_ (sit) next to you on the train is my uncle.
4. The beautiful novel \_\_\_ (write) by that famous author became a bestseller.
5. She bought ten antique vases, none of \_\_\_ (which) were cheap.
6. The employees, most of \_\_\_ (whom) have worked here for years, are striking.
7. The ancient artifact \_\_\_ (discover) in the tomb is priceless.
8. Anyone \_\_\_ (wish) to participate in the tournament must sign this form.
9. I read several articles, two of \_\_\_ (which) were highly critical of the government.
10. The delegates, neither of \_\_\_ (whom) spoke English, needed an interpreter.
11. The car \_\_\_ (park) illegally outside the building was towed away.
12. The instructions \_\_\_ (give) to us by the manager were very confusing.
13. He asked hundreds of questions, many of \_\_\_ (which) were completely irrelevant.
14. The passengers, several of \_\_\_ (whom) were injured, waited for ambulances.
15. The young boy \_\_\_ (wear) the red jacket is my nephew.
16. The delicious meal \_\_\_ (prepare) by the chef was absolutely flawless.
17. We faced multiple challenges, the most difficult of \_\_\_ (which) was funding.
18. The musicians, all of \_\_\_ (whom) are highly trained, played beautifully.
19. The tree \_\_\_ (block) the main road was removed by the fire department.
20. The harsh penalties \_\_\_ (impose) by the judge shocked the courtroom.

## 5.2 Noun Clauses, -ever Words, and Noun Phrases

Use clauses as subjects/objects. Master -ever words, apposition, and long noun phrases.

Example 1: \_\_\_ (What) she did shocked me.

Example 2: I will go \_\_\_ (wherever) you want.

1. \_\_\_ (What) she did in the meeting surprised absolutely everyone in the room.
2. I really don't understand \_\_\_ (why) he left the company so suddenly.
3. \_\_\_ (Whoever) broke this expensive vase must confess and pay for it immediately.
4. I will gladly follow you \_\_\_ (wherever) you decide to go on holiday.
5. My colleague, a highly respected expert in the field, \_\_\_ (lead) the research team.
6. A recently discovered, incredibly well-preserved Roman artifact \_\_\_ (be) on display.
7. \_\_\_ (How) they managed to escape the burning building remains a mystery.
8. She said she would accept \_\_\_ (whatever) salary they offered her.
9. You can invite \_\_\_ (whomever) you like to the wedding reception.
10. The CEO, an ambitious and ruthless businessman, \_\_\_ (fire) half the staff.
11. A beautifully crafted, surprisingly heavy golden necklace \_\_\_ (be) found in the vault.
12. \_\_\_ (That) the earth revolves around the sun is a well-established scientific fact.
13. We will support you \_\_\_ (whenever) you need our assistance during the project.
14. Choose \_\_\_ (whichever) color you prefer for the new living room walls.
15. Mr. Smith, the longest-serving teacher at our school, \_\_\_ (retire) next month.
16. An extremely rare, highly aggressive tropical disease \_\_\_ (have) broken out.
17. I simply cannot believe \_\_\_ (what) he just said to the manager!
18. He is so stubborn that he will argue with \_\_\_ (whoever) disagrees with him.
19. She carries her lucky charm \_\_\_ (wherever) she travels in the world.
20. Our new product, a revolutionary AI-powered cleaning robot, \_\_\_ (launch) today.

## Answer Key - Section 5

### 5.1 Quantifiers, Prepositions, and Reduced Relative Clauses

1. which 2. whom 3. sitting 4. written 5. which 6. whom 7. discovered  
8. wishing 9. which 10. whom 11. parked 12. given 13. which 14. whom  
15. wearing 16. prepared 17. which 18. whom 19. blocking 20. imposed

### 5.2 Noun Clauses, -ever Words, and Noun Phrases

1. What 2. why 3. Whoever 4. wherever 5. led 6. is 7. How 8. whatever  
9. whomever 10. fired 11. was 12. That 13. whenever 14. whichever  
15. is retiring 16. has 17. what 18. whoever 19. wherever 20. launches

