



ENGLISH GRAMMAR 1

ELEMENTARY LEVEL

Unit 101– A person who...
a thing that / which... (relative clauses 1)

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A person who... a thing that / which...

A ĐẠİ TỪ' LIÊN HỆ "WHO / WHICH / THAT"



I met a woman. **She** can speak six languages.
----- 2 sentences -----

she → who

----- 1 sentence -----
I met a **woman who** can speak six languages.

A person who... a thing that / which...

A ĐẠİ TỪ LIÊN HỆ “WHO / WHICH / THAT”



Jack was wearing a hat. It was too big for him.

2 sentences

it → that or which

1 sentence

Jack was wearing a hat that was too big for him.

or

Jack was wearing a hat which was too big for him.

A person who... a thing that / which...

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ĐẠI TỪ LIÊN HỆ “WHO”

who is for people (not things):

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| ▪ Ex1: | A thief is a person | who steals things, | |
| ▪ Ex2: | Do you know anybody | who can play the piano? | |
| ▪ Ex3: | The man | who phoned | didn't give his name. |
| ▪ Ex4: | The people | who work in the office | are very friendly. |

A person who... a thing that / which...

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ĐẠI TỪ LIÊN HỆ “THAT”

that is for things or people:

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| ▪ Ex5: | An airplane is a machine | that flies. | |
| ▪ Ex6: | Emma lives in a house | that is 400 years old. | |
| ▪ Ex7: | The people | that work in the office | are very friendly. |

A person who... a thing that / which...

D ĐẠİ TỪ LIÊN HỆ “WHICH”

which is for things (not people):

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| ▪ Ex8: | An airplane is a machine | which flies. (not a machine who ...) |
| ▪ Ex9: | Emma lives in a house | which is 400 years old. |

Do not use **which** for people:

- Ex10: Do you remember **the woman who** was playing the piano at the party?
(not the woman which ...)

who and **which** in questions → Unit 45, 47

the people we met (relative clauses 2) → Unit 102