

## Combining Sentences: Adjective Clauses

**Directions:** In the text-area below each group of sentences, combine the sentences given into one good sentence. Use the **second** sentence as an adjective clause.

When you are finished, you can check the answer key to see one or two ways to write that sentence.

Try to write your own sentence before you check the answer key.

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1. 1986 was the year.  
Halley's Comet appeared then.

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2. Elizabeth remembers the casino.  
She won \$25,000 there (in that casino).

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3. Shirley Chisholm ran for president in 1972.  
She was a Congresswoman from New York.

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4. Hillary Rodham Clinton was a senator from New York.  
Her husband used to be the President of the United States.

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5. A boy won the national spelling contest.  
He lives in North Carolina.

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6. Tom has had ten cars.  
Three of them were station wagons.

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7. I know a woman.  
Her brother is famous.

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8. North Carolina has beautiful mountains.  
I want to visit them some day.

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9. He works at an electronics store.  
It has many sales.

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10. I have a friend.  
His house was used to make a movie.

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11. My neighbor coaches our school's soccer team.  
He teaches martial arts.

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12. I have chosen the charity.  
I will donate some money to it.

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13. She is the girl.  
Everyone always talks about her.

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14. The story was scary.  
Martin told it.

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15. The girl is popular.  
She is the president of the student council.

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## Answer Key

1. 1986 was the year that Hailey's Comet appeared. (or) 1986 was the year Hailey's Comet appeared."
2. Elizabeth remembers the casino where she won \$25,000. (or) Elizabeth remembers the casino in which she won \$25.000."
3. Shirley Chisholm, who was a Congresswoman from New York, ran for president in 1972."
4. Hillary Rodham Clinton, whose husband used to be the President of the United States, is now one of the senators from New York."
5. A boy who lives in North Carolina won the national spelling contest. (or) A boy that lives in North Carolina won the national spelling contest."
6. Tom has had ten cars, three of which were station wagons."
7. I know a woman whose brother is famous."
8. North Carolina has beautiful mountains that I want to visit some day.
9. He works at an electronics store which has many sales. (or) He works at an electronics store that has many sales.
10. I have a friend whose house was used to make a movie.
11. My neighbor who teaches martial arts coaches our school's soccer team. (or) My neighbor that teaches martial arts coaches our school's soccer team.
12. I have chosen the charity to which I will donate my money. (or) I have chosen the charity that I will donate my money to.
13. She is the girl that everyone talks about. (or) She is the girl everyone talks about.
14. The story that Martin told was scary. (or) The story Martin told was scary.
15. The girl who is the president of the student council is popular. (or) The girl that is the president of the student council is popular."