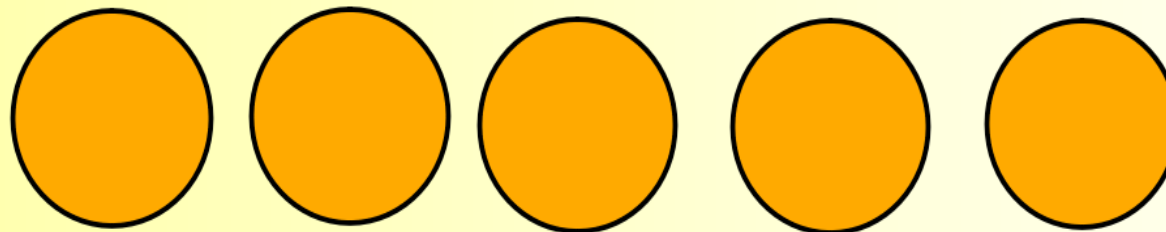


# NASTY WRITING!

## Relative clauses

Relative clauses can be used to give additional information about a noun. They are introduced by the use of a relative pronoun.

Can you remember the relative pronouns you can use in your writing?



I Do



(T models)



Mary Anning, who spent days looking for fossils in the cliffs around Lyme Regis, went on to become an expert fossil hunter.

We Do



(Shared write)



Due to Mary Anning being a working class woman, which at the time was not fully socially accepted, it meant her work was not taken seriously until after her death.

(T example if needed)

You Do It Alone



(Independent)



Mary made lots of finds, including the ichthyosaur



Mary selling her fossils on the beach



Mary went fossil hunting with her dog, Tray.

You need to try and use a different relative pronoun for each of your sentences.

## Lesson 4

# NASTY WRITING!

### Parenthesis

Parenthesis adds extra information to a sentence or a paragraph but the passage should still make sense without it.

This can be done using:

- brackets
- dashes
- commas



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I Do



(T models)



Mary Anning's father did not earn much money as a cabinet maker, so he boosted his families earnings by selling fossil's (known as 'curosoities' back then) to help provide for their family.

We Do



(Shared write)



Mary made many other exciting discoveries, such as a flying reptile, later named the Pterodactyl, and coprolites - fossilised poo - which helped her work out what dinosaurs ate!

T example if needed

You Do It Alone



(Independent)



Mary died in 1847, but we are still discussing her work today!



Mary went fossil hunting with her faithful dog, Tray.



Mary sold fossils to the tourists of Lyme Regis