

## EXERCISE 2: Forming Adjective Clauses with Quantifiers

Read the article about the Moonrise Film Festival. Complete the explanations by writing adjective clauses using the words in parentheses plus *of*, and a relative pronoun (*whom*, *which*, *whose*).



### MOONRISE FILM FESTIVAL

Serious film buffs, \_\_\_\_\_ *all of whom appreciate*  
1. (all / appreciate)

new, artistic films, gathered at the Third Annual Moonrise Film Festival in Montana this week. There were 41 new films,

\_\_\_\_\_ highly engrossing  
2. (most / were)  
to the moviegoers. In general, the mood of the fans was upbeat,

in spite of the fact that the films— \_\_\_\_\_ about dark  
3. (were / several)

subjects—were not particularly entertaining, but of a thoughtful nature. Since even these dark films had been skillfully made, however, the moviegoing audience showed no objection.

As always, the movies, \_\_\_\_\_ from abroad, covered a  
4. (came / a number)  
variety of subjects. There were movies from India, Peru, Iran, China, Japan, Canada, Brazil, Israel,

Sweden, and South Korea, \_\_\_\_\_ films in prestigious  
5. (all / have entered)  
festivals before and \_\_\_\_\_ recognition.  
6. (many / deserve / directors and producers)

A surprise came in the animation category. Six new animation films appeared on screen,

\_\_\_\_\_ with serious social topics. These two were produced  
7. (two / dealt)

so beautifully that they are sure to be contenders for awards. The rest of the animation films,

\_\_\_\_\_ the hilarious *Absent-Minded Professor*, were comedies  
8. (was / one)  
and \_\_\_\_\_ fantasies for children.  
9. (were / the rest)

There were 10 documentaries, \_\_\_\_\_ to polarize the  
10. (a few / seemed)  
crowd. The political liberals, \_\_\_\_\_

11. (some / applauded)  
liked, slightly outnumbered the conservatives, \_\_\_\_\_

12. (most / didn't like)  
these same films, but appreciated others. Everyone was polite, and the appreciation for the film-

makers' talents transcended political views. Jacques Ma, who has previously produced only police  
dramas, \_\_\_\_\_

13. (an example / is)  
\_\_\_\_\_ the award-winning *Disorder in the Streets*,  
expertly constructed a compilation of stories of immigrants' lives and the difficulties they face.

This relatively new film festival is definitely a winner. If such excellence in selection and presentation continues, the Moonrise Film Festival will soon take its place among the great film festivals of the world.

### EXERCISE 3: Reducing Adjective Clauses to Adjective Phrases

Read the movie descriptions of late-night movies in a TV program guide. Complete the sentences by writing adjective phrases based on the adjective clauses in parentheses.

1. **Planet of the Apes.** This remake of the 1960s classic is spectacular. After flying through a "worm hole" in space, an astronaut (Mark Wahlberg) crashes on a planet where apes rule over humans. He is aided by a sympathetic chimpanzee, \_\_\_\_\_, as he leads a small band of rebels against their captors.  
*played by Helena Bonham Carter*  
**(who is played by Helena Bonham Carter)**

2. **Finding Nemo.** Don't miss the adventures of Marlin, an overprotective clown fish \_\_\_\_\_ . When he hooks up with a funny tang fish in the search, the laughs don't stop. Brilliant animation with the voices of Albert Brooks and Ellen DeGeneres.  
**(who is looking for his missing son)**

3. **Crazy Heart.** Jeff Bridges gives a fantastic performance as an aging country singer, \_\_\_\_\_ with the help of a loving woman. He tries to re-establish a relationship with his estranged son.  
**(who is trying to change his destructive lifestyle)**

4. **The Last Samurai.** With gorgeous visuals of Japan in the 1870s, this is the story of Capt. Nathan Algren, an American military officer hired by the emperor of Japan. Algren, \_\_\_\_\_, undergoes a spiritual rebirth during his encounters with the Samurai.  
**(who is brilliantly portrayed by Tom Cruise)**

5. **The X-Files.** FBI agents Mulder and Scully seek the truth about conspiracies, extraterrestrials, and mysterious black liquid in this thriller mystery, \_\_\_\_\_.

**(which was adapted from the TV series)**

6. **Deliverance.** Four men on a canoe trip struggle for survival. In a thrilling adventure \_\_\_\_\_, each of the men undergoes a change of character. Burt Reynolds stars.  
**(which has turned into a nightmare)**

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7. **Diamonds Are Forever.** This is Sean Connery's sixth appearance as James Bond in a thriller \_\_\_\_\_ on the trail of stolen gems.

(that zips him from Amsterdam to Las Vegas)

8. **Titanic.** The Oscar-winning blockbuster, \_\_\_\_\_ (which stars Leonardo DiCaprio and Kate Winslet) as star-crossed lovers aboard the doomed ship, provides a moving story and amazing visual effects.

9. **Star Wars Episode II: Attack of the Clones.** The saga about a faraway galaxy continues. Anakin Skywalker (Hayden Christensen) makes progress in his Jedi training, falls in love with the beautiful Queen Amidala (Natalie Portman), and grows into a young man \_\_\_\_\_.

(who is capable of a power that may destroy him)

10. **The Godfather.** This movie, \_\_\_\_\_ (which is Francis Ford Coppola's Oscar-winning version) of a story about a power struggle among organized-crime factions in the 1940s, stars Marlon Brando, Al Pacino, and James Caan. It is incumbent on the men to defend themselves and exhibit their power in the most extreme ways possible.

#### EXERCISE 4: Forming Sentences with Adjective Clauses and Adjective Phrases

Combine the pairs of sentences to make single sentences. Use adjective phrases, adjective clauses, or adjective clauses with quantifiers.

##### Cinema Pubs: A New Experience in Moviegoing

1. Cinema pubs are small. Being small gives you a more intimate relationship with the film.  
\_\_\_\_\_ Cinema pubs are small, giving you a more intimate relationship with the film.

2. Cinema pubs offer independent sections of tables and comfortable swivel chairs. This allows you to feel like you are in your own living room.  
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3. Servers come to each table before the movie begins and take orders for food and beverages.

Most of the servers are local college students.

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4. The ambience in the theater is similar to that in a cabaret. In a cabaret, there is an intimate feeling.

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5. In accordance with the cozy atmosphere, the cinema pubs show small films. Many of the small films are foreign.

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6. Although you have come to the theater to see a movie, you will also find that the cinema pub is a gathering place. People like to socialize here.

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7. The idea of the cinema pub is beginning to catch on in the United States. The idea of a cinema pub is already popular in the United Kingdom.

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8. Cinema pubs show recent films in a relaxed atmosphere. This makes them a welcome alternative to huge and impersonal movie multiplexes.

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9. For a change of pace, see your next film at a cinema pub. See the film at the cinema pub that is nearest to you.

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