

SPaGtacular Starters Who or Whom

What You Need to Know

We use **who** when referring to the subject of a sentence and **whom** when we are referring to the object.

A quick shortcut is to change the sentence around so that you use either he/she/they or him/her/them.

If you would use he/she/they, then use **who**.

If you would use him/her/them, then use **whom**.



Can you insert either **who** or **whom** into the following sentences?

1. The man _____ won the race was exhausted.
2. Tomas wanted to go into town but the friend _____ he asked for a lift was busy.
3. The cat belongs to the woman with the red hair, _____ has lived there for years.
4. _____ did you ask to the party?
5. Anja, _____ I think is the best singer, is going to be late.

Now, write your own two sentences, one using **who**, and one using **whom**.



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2. Tomas wanted to go into town but the friend **whom** he asked for a lift was busy.
3. The cat belongs to the woman with the red hair, **who** has lived there for years.
4. **Whom** did you ask to the party?
5. Anja, **who** I think is the best singer, is going to be late.

