RIVERSIDE COMMUNITY COLLEGE
DIRECTED LEARNING ACTIVITY:
SUBORDINATE CLAUSES

1. Go to: http://www.chompchomp.com/terms/subordinateclause.htm

2. Read the entire page on subordinate clauses. Read for a clear understanding.

3. Complete the following:
   
   A) All subordinate clauses will contain a ____________ and a ______________.

   B) A subordinate clause will always / sometimes / never form a complete sentence. (Circle the appropriate answer.)

4. List five (5) subordinate conjunctions: ____________  ____________
   ____________  ____________  ____________

5. List three relative pronouns: ____________  ____________  ____________

6. When a subordinate clause begins with a relative pronoun, what type of subordinate clause is formed? An ________________ clause.

7. To form a sentence, a subordinate clause must be joined to a ____________ ____________.

8. Generally speaking, we use a comma to separate a main clause from a subordinate clause when the sentence begins with the ________________ clause.

9. On the back of this sheet write eight (8) sentences:
   - Four sentences must contain adjective clauses.
   - Four sentences must contain subordinate clauses that contain subordinate conjunctions chosen from the list on the webpage. Two of the sentences must begin with a subordinate clause.
   - Underline the subordinate clause in all eight sentences.

10. Have a WRC instructor/tutor check your sentences and sign on the line below:

    Signature _____________________________  Date _____________________________

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