

# Gap Fills Exercise

Complete the following sentences with an appropriate word or phrase.

1. .... up, the thief ran away.

- Jumped
- Jumping
- Having jumping

2. .... he sat down to rest.

- Tiring
- Having tired
- Being tired

3. William I defeated Harold ..... was the successor of Edward the Confessor in 1066.

- who
- whom
- that
- which

4. This town ..... was once a prosperous sea-port is now a heap of ruins.

- what

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which  
who

5. The young woman fainted .....  
hearing the news of her husband's death.

at  
on  
with

6. The police ....., the mob  
dispersed.

arriving  
arrived  
having arrived

7. .... his foot, he stopped.

Being hurt  
Having hurt  
Hurt

8. The cow provides milk ..... is a

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nutritious food.

which  
what  
who

9. His uncle ..... was a millionaire sent him to England for higher studies.

whom  
who  
that

10. Chaucer ..... was the first great English poet was born in 1340.

who  
that  
whom

11. Nobody knows ..... Homer, the great poet, was born.

where  
there  
that

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12. He ..... does not work must starve.

who

whom

which

## Answers

1. Jumping up, the thief ran away.
2. Being tired he sat down to rest.
3. William I defeated Harold who was the successor of Edward the Confessor in 1066.
4. This town which was once a prosperous sea-port is now a heap of ruins.
5. The young woman fainted on hearing the news of her husband's death.
6. The police having arrived, the mob dispersed.
7. Having hurt his foot, he stopped.
8. The cow provides milk which is a nutritious food.
9. His uncle who was a millionaire sent him to England for higher studies.
10. Chaucer who was the first great English poet was born in 1340.
11. Nobody knows where Homer, the great poet, was born.
12. He who does not work must starve.