

9A MINI GRAMMAR *whatever, whenever, etc.*

- a Complete the sentences with *whatever, whichever, whoever, whenever, however, or wherever*.



- 1 Whatever I do my boss always finds something wrong with it.
- 2 _____ I see Naila she's always in a good mood.
- 3 _____ broke the window must come and see me after school.
- 4 I'm lucky. I never put on weight _____ much I eat.
- 5 We've decided that we are going to go _____ happens.
- 6 In Thailand people were really friendly to us _____ we went.
- 7 _____ I go to New York on business I always try to see a show on Broadway.
- 8 I never seem to get better at tennis _____ much I practise.
- 9 I like both cakes, so you have _____ one you want and I'll have the other one.
- 10 _____ said 'It's better to be poor, but happy' was wrong!
- 11 We could fly or get the train to Prague, _____ is quicker.
- 12 I'm sure the police will find the murderer, _____ he's hiding.

- b Match 1–5 to a–e to make complete sentences.

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| 1 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> e I am happy to cook or go out. We'll do... | a whatever the weather. |
| 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Whenever you have a problem,... | b you can come and see me. |
| 3 <input type="checkbox"/> The theme park is open every day,... | c is in big trouble! |
| 4 <input type="checkbox"/> I am going to finish this today... | d however long it takes. |
| 5 <input type="checkbox"/> Whoever borrowed my jacket without asking... | e whichever you prefer. |

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- c Complete the sentences with your own ideas. Then compare your ideas with a partner.

- 1 I'll always love you whatever you do.
- 2 However rich people are, _____.
- 3 You must come and see me whenever _____.
- 4 Let's buy this one or that one, whichever _____.
- 5 Wherever you go in the world you'll always find _____.
- 6 You can invite whoever _____.



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6 wherever 7 Whenever 8 however 9 whichever
10 Whoever 11 whichever 12 wherever
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