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Dependent Clauses

Identify the underlined clause in each of the following sentences by writing *DC* for dependent clause or *IC* for independent clause.

DC

Example: Shannon's sister is majoring in marine biology, <u>which she has loved since childhood.</u>

1.   The referee was blowing his whistle, but <u>the players didn't hear it</u>.

2.   Aaron had to walk with crutches <u>while his sprained ankle healed</u>.

3.   <u>Whenever the wind blew</u>, we had to rake more leaves in the yard.

4.   Janet said she would study for the math test <u>after she finishes eating lunch</u>.

5.   <u>Whoever has the missing copy of the book</u> should return it to Room 302 this afternoon.

6.   Heather would like to go camping, but <u>Gail would rather see a play.</u>

7.   <u>After she talked with the foreign-exchange student</u>, Marisa wanted to visit Italy.

8.   After you finish your dinner, <u>you may have dessert</u>.