

DAILY ENGLISH

E09

You can call him what you want.

A man with a beard and a woman with long curly hair are standing in a park, facing each other and talking. They are both wearing leather jackets. The man is on the left, and the woman is on the right. The background shows trees and a path.

Lead-in

1. What do you usually feel if someone close to you lies?
2. How do you know that someone is hiding something?

Target Language

▼ In this lesson, we will learn:

Grammar Focus

Noun Clause as an Object Complement

Daily Expression

You can call him what you want.

Picture Description

▼ Tell what you see in the pictures below.



A



B

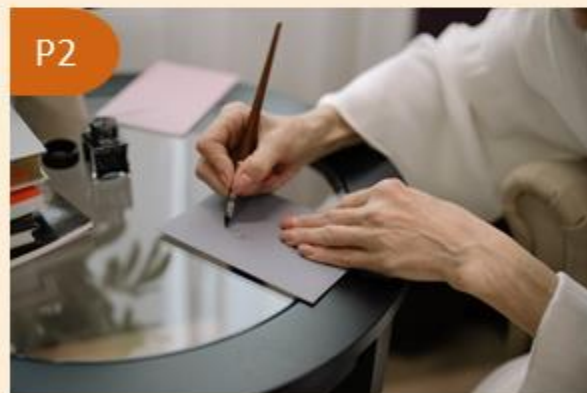
Pronunciation and Matching

▼ Read the example sentences.

1. You can call him what you want.

2. You can invite the person whom
you want.

▼ Match the sentences with the
corresponding pictures.



Conversation

▼ Listen to the conversation.

Susan: I think he's hiding something from me. He didn't tell me the truth when I asked him about it.

Nancy: Tell me more.

Susan: He is a liar. He makes up stories that aren't true.

Nancy: Well, **you can call him what you want**, but it seems like he's not so good at telling the straight story.

Questions:

- Why did Susan think that the person they are talking about is hiding something from her?
- Why is he a liar?
- What does Nancy want Susan to call the person they are talking about?

Grammar Focus

▼ Read the grammar structure.

Noun Clause as an Object Complement

You can call *him* **what you want**.

You can invite *the person* **whom you want**.

Grammar Check

▼ Complete the sentences by matching Column A with Column B.

A

- 1 We named the puppy...
- 2 She suggested the idea...
- 3 They rented a place...
- 4 They announced the missing person...
- 5 I know the reason...

B

- A why studying English is difficult.
- B what the children suggested.
- C who is wearing a red shirt and blue shorts.
- D that we need to buy new computers.
- E where the rooms were enough for everyone.

Grammar Check

- ▼ Circle the object and underline the noun clause as an object complement in each sentence.

- 1 You may call your husband whatever you wish.
- 2 I found the problem that you do not want to learn about English grammar.
- 3 They suggested the idea that we should plant more trees.
- 4 The committee has shared the winner who wrote the essay on noun clauses.
- 5 She knows the reason why he didn't attend the meeting yesterday.

Daily Scene

Describe the people, places, and events using the learned expression.

PEOPLE

- a friend
- an enemy
- a family

I call one a friend
whoever...

PLACES

- a safe place
- a home
- a dangerous place

I call it a safe place
wherever...

EVENTS

- a destiny
- a celebration
- an accident

I call it a destiny
whenever...

e.g. I call one a friend whoever stays with me through ups and downs.