Unit 8: Exercise 8

Read the information. Then complete the sentences. Use the indefinite pronouns in the box.

everything	something	anything	nothing
everywhere	somewhere	anywhere	nowhere
everyone / everybody	someone / somebody	anyone / anybody	no one / nobody

Some* and *any

Some is usually used in positive sentences. *Any* is used in negative sentences and questions. However, there are occasions when we use *some-* and *any-* pronouns in questions. For example:

*Would you like **something / anything** to eat?*

In addition, we can use *any-* pronouns in positive sentences to suggest the idea of *it doesn't matter which / I don't mind which*. For example:

*I want to go **somewhere / anywhere** that is hot for my holidays.*

Remember that all indefinite pronouns behave like singular nouns.

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anything | everybody | everyone | no one | nobody | nothing

nowhere | somebody | someone | something | something | somewhere

1 _____ should study a foreign language, and if possible, go to live in another country and learn about its culture.

2 She is _____ who demonstrates a keen interest in foreign languages.

3 The free healthcare provided by the National Health Service in the UK is _____ that I value very much.

4 _____ that I've always wanted to visit is the Great Wall of China.

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5 When I arrived at the airport, it was difficult because there was _____ who spoke my language.

6 There was _____ close to the theatre to have dinner after the performance, so we took a taxi and ate at home.

7 I was surprised when I went to England because the people are _____ like the stereotypical English people I have seen in movies.

8 Please check that you haven't forgotten _____ before we leave for the airport.

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