

INDEFINITE PRONOUNS

everyone/everybody = all the people
someone/somebody = a person
no one/nobody = no person

everything = all the things
something = a thing
nothing /'nʌθɪŋ/ = no things

everywhere = (in) all the places
somewhere = (in) a place
nowhere = (in) no places

A Everyone, something, etc. (1)

Complete the conversations. Put in the correct words.

► Melanie: Did you say you found *something* in the street?
David: Yes, a diamond ring.

1 Nick: We all know the man is a thief, don't we?
Tom: Yes, knows, but dares to say so publicly.

2 Mark: Were there any calls for me?
Secretary: Yes, rang while you were out. It was rather strange. He refused to give his name, but he wants to discuss with you.

3 Melanie: Do you have any plans for the summer?
Tom: I'd like to go away if I can. I know has invited me to his villa in Portugal, so I may go there.

4 Daniel: Has Matthew got a job yet?
Emma: No, but he's looked He's been to all the job agencies. He hates the idea of sitting around doing

B Someone and anyone, etc. (2)

Put in *someone*, *anyone*, *something*, *anything*, *somewhere* or *anywhere*.

Rachel: Have you seen my MP3 player? I can't find it (►) *anywhere*.
Vicky: No, I haven't. Perhaps (1) 's borrowed it.
Rachel: I haven't given (2) permission to borrow it. It must be (3) in this room.
Vicky: Things are in such a mess. It could be (4)
Rachel: I know. I can never find (5) when I want it.
Vicky: We'll have to do (6) about this mess. We'd better tidy it up.