

Some-, any-, no-, every- + -body, -one, -thing, -where 1

a) Study the notes and examples:

Some = a little / a few → assertive (the meaning does not change).	I need some help. Can I have some more tea, please? I don't understand some words.
any = a little / a few / whatever / none → non-assertive (the meaning depends on the type of sentence).	Any help will be welcome. Is there any more tea? I don't understand any words.
every = all the	I want it all = I want everything.
no + n. = none	I have no problems, none at all.

b) Choose ALL THE CORRECT OPTIONS to fill in each gap:

- Well, let's get to work. Is _____ ready?
somebody everybody anybody
all of the above are correct none of the above is correct
- We don't need to read _____ class notes to do this exercise, it's really easy.
some any every
all of the above are correct none of the above is correct
- My mind went blank in the exam, and I could remember _____.
anything nothing everything
all of the above are correct none of the above is correct
- I have heard a noise upstairs. Is there _____ working late, do you think?
someone no one everyone

all of the above are correct

none of the above is correct

5. _____ knows that the earth is round now, but centuries ago people thought it was flat.

someone anyone everyone
all of the above are correct none of the above is correct

6. There is _____ I don't understand in this case, said the inspector.

something anything everything
all of the above are correct none of the above is correct

7. Rehearsing is _____ actors have to do every day.

something anything everything
all of the above are correct none of the above is correct

8. Can you give us _____ to eat, please, Mum? We're very hungry!

something anything nothing
all of the above are correct none of the above is correct

9. Have you seen my car keys? I can't find them _____.

somewhere anywhere nowhere
all of the above are correct none of the above is correct

10. Where are my new shoes? I have looked for them _____!

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