



## Somebody, anybody, nobody, something, anything, nothing Exercise

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- **Somebody** told me about this book - *affirmative*
  - **Nobody** likes homework **NOT** ~~Nobody doesn't like homework~~
  - Does **anybody** here play chess? – *questions*
    - ❖ These rules are more difficult ❖
  - Would you like **something** to drink? - *offers and requests*
  - Is there **something** wrong? - *when you think you know the answer*
  - You can ask me **anything**. I don't mind – *it doesn't matter*
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Fill the gaps with **somebody, anybody, nobody, something, anything** and **nothing**.

- 1 I can hear ..... at the door.
- 2 Does ..... want to go to the cinema?
- 3 A: What are you doing on Saturday?  
B: .....
- 4 Can ..... tell me the capital of Mongolia?
- 5 "Would you like ..... to eat?"
- 6 The film was in German so I couldn't understand ..... they said.
- 7 I'm sad because ..... remembered my birthday.
- 8 As it's your birthday you can order ..... you like from the menu.
- 9 Oh no! ..... 's eaten my chocolate mousse. Swine!
- 10 Poor thing! We have to do ..... to help.
- 11 ..... can do this sudoku. It's impossible.
- 12 I don't know ..... about comic books.
- 13 This box is empty. There's ..... inside it.
- 14 Is there ..... on TV tonight?
- 15 You look upset. Is ..... the matter?





## Drill

Ask someone if:-

there is anything on TV tonight.  
there is anything they won't eat.  
they are trying to help anyone at the moment.  
they sent someone an email yesterday.  
anybody sent them an email yesterday.

Ask:-

Does anybody in your family *sail / speak French?*

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## Answers

- 1 I can hear somebody at the door.
- 2 Does anybody OR anyone want to go to the cinema.
- 3 A: What are you doing on Saturday?  
B: Nothing.
- 4 "Can anyone tell me the capital of Mongolia?"
- 5 "Would you like something to eat?" *Because this is an offer we use the **some** form.*
- 6 The film was in German so I couldn't understand anything they said.
- 7 I'm sad because nobody remembered my birthday.
- 8 As it's your birthday you can order anything you like from the menu.
- 9 Oh no! Somebody's eaten my chocolate mousse. Swine!
- 10 Poor thing! We have to do something to help.
- 11 Nobody can do this sudoku. It's impossible.
- 12 I don't know anything about comic books.
- 13 This box is empty. There's nothing inside it.
- 14 Is there anything on TV tonight?
- 15 You look upset. Is something the matter?

