

Basic English Grammar

Composti di "some, any, no"

	-body	-one	-thing
some	somebody	someone	something
any	anybody	anyone	anything
no	nobody	no one	nothing

Nota

I pronomi indefiniti composti seguono le stesse regole di some, any, no.

Somebody - someone - something si usano in frasi affermative, ed in frasi interrogative quando si offre o si chiede qualcosa.

- > There is **somebody/someone** in the house.
- > - I'm very thirsty. Can I have **something** to drink?
- > - Of course. Would you like **something** to eat too? You must also be hungry.

Anybody - anyone - anything si usano in frasi negative e interrogative.

- > There isn't **anybody/anyone** in the house.
- > - Is there **anybody/anyone** in the garden?

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In frasi affermative *anybody* – *anyone* – *anything* hanno il significato di *qualunque, chiunque, qualsiasi cosa*.

- > **Anybody** can learn a foreign language, but motivation is a key factor.
- > When you are young, you think you can do **anything**.

Nota

somewhere = *da qualche parte, in qualche posto*

anywhere = *da nessuna parte (con un verbo negativo)*

nowhere = *da nessuna parte (con un verbo positivo)*

everywhere = *da qualsiasi parte, ovunque*

everybody = *tutti*

everyone = *tutti*

everything = *tutto*

Attenzione!

Everybody e *everyone* hanno il significato di "*tutti*", ma richiedono il verbo al singolare.

- > **Is everybody** ready for dinner?