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# Essential Grammar In Use

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## UNIT 76

## some and any

some



I have **some** money.

⟨Use **some** in positive sentences.⟩

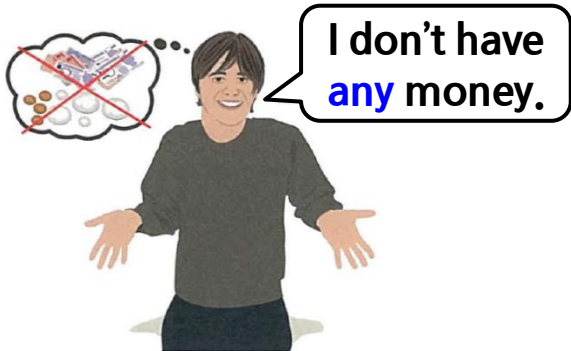
I'm going to buy **some** clothes.



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any



〈Use **any** in negative sentences.〉

I'm not going to buy **any** clothes.



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## some and any

In most questions (but not all) we use **any** (not **some**).

Is there **any** milk in the fridge?

Does he have **any** friends?



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We normally use **some** (not **any**) when we offer things.  
<Would you like... ?>

- A Would you like **some** coffee?
- B Yes, please.



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or when we ask for things <Can I have... ? etc.>

- A Can you lend me **some** money?
- B Sure. How much do you need?



## UNIT 76

## some and any

**some** and **any** without a noun

I didn't take any pictures,  
but Jessica took **some**.

You can have some coffee,  
but I don't want **any**.



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**something / somebody (or someone)**

She said **something**.

**anything / anybody (or anyone)**

She **didn't** say **anything**.







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## Exercises 76.1

Write **some** or **any**.

1

I bought \_\_\_\_\_ cheese,  
but I didn't buy \_\_\_\_\_ bread.



## Exercises 76.1

Write **some** or **any**.

2

In the middle of the room  
there was a table and \_\_\_\_\_ chairs.



## Exercises 76.1

Write **some** or **any**.

3

There aren't \_\_\_\_\_ shops  
in this part of town.



## Exercises 76.1

Write **some** or **any**.

4

Gary and Alice don't have  
\_\_\_\_\_ children.





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