anyone Apresyan (En-Ru)

 $['eniw_{\Lambda}n] = anybody I u II$ 

can anyone go to this movie or is it just for adults? - на этот фильм пропускают / пускают / только взрослых или всех? if only I knew anyone to talk to - если бы только я кого-нибудь знал, с кем можно поговорить he doesn't care for anyone - ему ни до кого нет дела

#### anyone

Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

anyone [anyone] BrE ['eniwn] NAmE ['eniwn] (also any-body) pronoun

- 1. used instead of someone in negative sentences and in questions after if / whether, and after verbs such as prevent, forbid, avoid, etc.
- Is anyone there?
- · Does anyone else want to come?
- Did anyone see you?
- · Hardly anyone came.
- I forbid anyone to touch that clock. The difference between anyone and someone is the same as the difference between any and some. Look at the notes there.
- 2. any person at all; it does not matter who
  - · Anybody can see that it's wrong.
- The exercises are so simple that almost anyone can do them.
- **3.** (in negative sentences) an important person
  - She wasn't anyone before she got that job.

See also: †anybody

## anyone

Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

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- 1. used to refer to any person, when it is not important to say exactly who:
  - Anyone could win tonight.
  - They offer help and advice to anyone interested in becoming a teacher.
  - If anyone sees Lisa, ask her to call me.
  - Anyone else who is interested in going on the trip should see me at the end of this lesson.
- 2. used in questions to mean 'someone':
  - Does anyone want a drink?
  - Is there anyone new coming to tonight's meeting?
  - Do you know anyone else who wants a ticket?
- 3. used in negative sentences to mean no person:
  - I went to the bar but there wasn't anyone there.
  - I haven't spoken to anyone all day.

### **GRAMMAR**

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# Use a singular verb after anyone:

- Hardly anyone was paying attention to him.
- Do not use 'of' after anyone. Use any of:
- Do any of these people have jobs?

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