SOME & ANY

SOME wird verwendet, wenn
✓ der geäußerte Satz NICHT verneint ist.
   She has some friends in the USA.
✓ man auf die Frage, die man stellt, eine positive Antwort erwartet bzw. eine freundliche Frage stellt.
   Would you like some coffee or tea?
✓ wenn sich der Sprecher auf etwas Bestimmtes bezieht.
   I’ve got some nice pictures.

ANY wird verwendet, wenn
✓ ein Satz verneint ist.
   She doesn’t know anybody in Iceland.
✓ man auf die Frage, die man stellt, eine negative Antwort erwartet.
   Have you got any brother?
✓ von irgendetwas oder irgendjemandem die Rede ist.
   Do you know anything about that?
   No, I don’t know anything about that.
   I don’t know anybody in that city.
Exercise 1: some or any?

1. In the afternoon I often watch _______ TV series.
2. She doesn’t copy _______ homework.
3. They don’t want to eat _______ pasta, but they want to get _______ sweets.
4. Do you have _______ brothers or sisters?
5. My brother doesn’t have _______ English books.
6. I’m sure Kim wants more cake. Please, give her _______.
7. Would you like _______ salad or fruit?
8. Haven’t you got _______ tissues?
9. Aren’t there _______ socks in the drawer?
10. You can’t have _______ more of this. I want to keep some for my brother.
11. We haven’t got _______ sweets left. So, you can’t get _______.
12. What would you like to drink? - I’d like _______ orange juice, please.
13. There are _______ nice shops in Main Street. Have you seen them?
14. They haven’t got _______ fresh salad today. So, I bought _______ vegetable.
15. I’d like _______ apples, please. - I’m afraid we haven’t got _______ today.
16. She doesn’t know _______ body in Vienna.
17. Have you got _______ tickets for the new show? - No, I don’t have _______.
18. Please, ask her for _______ more cake. It is really good.
19. Shirley could not buy _______ apples because they were sold out.
20. They don’t want to get _______ homework.
Exercise 2: some or any?

1. They will certainly meet ________ friends at the party.
2. She doesn't read ________ newspapers.
3. He didn't meet ________ friends last weekend.
4. She always orders ________ orange juice.
5. He often buys ________ bars of chocolate for his children.
6. When I entered the room, I saw ________ body copying her homework.
7. They didn't have ________ potatoes. So, I bought ________ pasta.
8. My brother bought ________ great CDs last week.
9. I'm sure Kim wants ________ cake. Please, give her ________.
10. ‘Would you like ________ more salad?’ he asked politely.
11. They do not watch ________ horror films.
12. She asked her guest, ‘Would you like to play ________ games?’
13. Have you got ________ computer games, grandma? - No, I haven’t got ________ PC.
   So, I don’t need ________ computer games.
14. What would you like to eat? - I’d like ________ veggie burger, please.
15. He didn't meet ________ friends last weekend.
16. There are usually ________ nice shows in London.
17. Have you got ________ interesting DVDs?
18. They do not sing ________ Christmas carols at Christmas.
19. Do you know ________ thing about Christmas traditions?
20. He doesn't have ________ allergies, does he?