

Pronouns
Antecedents and Indefinites
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Directions: Underline the pronouns. Draw an arrow from the pronoun to its antecedent. Write "antecedent" under the antecedent. If the pronoun is indefinite, write "indefinite" below it. Remember, indefinite pronouns will have no antecedent.

1. The students did their project during lunch while nobody was there to bother them.
2. Somebody dumped everything on the floor, and nobody would clean it up.
3. Whenever the trainer reached into his pocket, the animals would show everyone their best tricks.
4. The workers put their tools away so nobody would steal them.
5. Ivan moved his bike into the garage because his dad told him to do it.
6. Everybody took the day off to watch Aaron give his speech.
7. While the girls did their hair, the boys put on their best shirts.
8. The flowers smelled so good that everyone wanted to take them home.
9. Carlos said that something crawled into his sleeping bag.
10. Nothing in the car worked so we took it to a mechanic.
11. After the waiter brought our food, he asked if we wanted something else to drink.
12. The fireman took his ax and went to search for someone to rescue.
13. Dogs waited for someone to throw them a bone.
14. The actor learned his lines just in time for his turn to perform.
15. Someone put Helen's backpack under her chair.

Extension: Write five (5) sentences using pronouns with their antecedents. Draw an arrow from the pronoun to its antecedent. Next, write five sentences using any of the indefinite pronouns below.

Indefinite Pronouns: someone , something , somebody , anyone , anything , anybody
 everyone , everything , everybody , nobody , nothing