

Contractions

Many words can form contractions. We can add two words together to form a new word. One or more letters are removed from one of the words. The letters are replaced by an apostrophe.



The two words **should not** can form a contraction.
The contraction is **shouldn't**.

The two words in each number can form a contraction. Choose the correct spelling for the contraction. Write it on the line.

1. it is (it's its') 1. _____
2. they are (they're theyr'e) 2. _____
3. we are (wea'e we're) 3. _____
4. he is (hes' he's) 4. _____
5. what is (what's wha'is) 5. _____
6. you are (you're your'e) 6. _____
7. she is (shes' she's) 7. _____
8. I am (Im' I'm) 8. _____
9. can not (can't cant') 9. _____
10. will not (willn't won't) 10. _____
11. have not (haven't hav'nt) 11. _____
12. we will (we'll wew'l) 12. _____