

Contractions with Not

- A contraction is a short form of two words.
- Use an Apostrophe (') in place of o in a contraction with not.

was not	wasn't
were not	weren't
do not	don't
does not	doesn't
did not	didn't

A. Read the sentences. Click on the two words that make the contraction in each sentence.

1. The firefighters **don't** always need masks.

do not **was not**

did not



2. The firefighters **weren't** on their way.

were not **was not**

do not

3. They **didn't** rush away.

did not **was not**

do not

4. They **didn't** go down the pole.

did not **was not**

do not

5. That **wasn't** the ladder.

was not **did not**

do not

6. The fire truck **didn't** stop.

was not **did not**

does not

7. She **doesn't** see the fire.

were not **was not**

does not

B. Match the two words with the correct contraction.

Was not

didn't

Were not

don't

Did not

wasn't

Do not

weren't

Does not

doesn't