

Rephrasing. Rewrite the following sentences without changing their meanings. Use the quantity of words given. Contractions count as 2 words (except for 'cannot', which is 1 word)

1. I'm convinced Maxine is at the swimming pool

= Maxine _____ at the swimming pool (2 words)

2. I'll lend you my bike provided you take good care of it

= I'll lend you my bike _____ you take good care of it (3 words)

3. It's impossible that he has spent so much money, he's usually very tight-fisted. **(do not use contractions)**

= He _____ spent so much money, he's usually very tight-fisted. (2 words)

4. Do you need anything?

= A few days ago, he asked me _____ (4 words)

5. 'Where are you from?'

= He asked me _____, _____ (4 words)

6. I bought flowers because I had the money **(do not use contractions)**

= If I _____, _____ flowers. (5/5w)

7. Although she has a big family, she doesn't visit them often

= Despite _____ big family, she doesn't visit them often. (2 words)

8. It was so nice that we decided to stay a bit longer **(do not use contractions)**

= If it _____ so nice, we _____ a bit longer (3/4 words)

9. 'What's your name?', she asked

= She asked _____ (4 words)

10. 'My friends left this week', she told me some weeks ago.

= She told me _____ (6 words)