

Positive		Negative	
I am	a ballerina. pretty.	I am not	a bird. OK.
I'm		I'm not	
You are		You are not	
You're		You aren't	

Questions		Short answers
Am I	pretty? OK?	Yes, you are.
Are you		No, you are not. / No, you aren't.
		Yes, I am.
		No, I am not. / No, I'm not.

- When we speak, we use short forms: I'm, you're, I'm not, you aren't.
- We use short forms to answer no: No, I'm not. No, you aren't.
- But we use long forms to answer yes: Yes, I am. ✓ Yes, I'm. ✗
Yes, you are. ✓ Yes, you're. ✗

