ENGLISH FOR COMMUNICATION
SPECIAL EDUCATION KSSMPK FORM 3

Language Focus : Contractions

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Class

CONTRACTIONS

READ THE DIALOGUE BELOW

C. Miss Asmah is looking for a place to rent. The dialogue below is between Miss Asmah and the apartment manager in Bandar Seri Mesra.

1. Hi. Can I speak with the apartment manager, please?
2. I am the apartment manager. Whom am I speaking to?
3. **I'm** Asmah. I saw your advertisement on apartments for rent and **I'm** very interested.
4. Which apartment are you interested in, Asmah?
5. **I'm** interested in the apartment in Bandar Seri Mesra. **I've** heard that the apartment is beautiful.
6. Well, for your information that apartment is still available. Would you be interested in seeing the apartment?
7. Yes, **I'd** like to see the apartment. When can I see the apartment?
8. How about tomorrow?
9. **That's** perfect. What time can I come?
10. Can we meet at 5:00 p.m.?
11. **I'm** sorry. I **don't** think I would be able to make it at 5:00 p.m. How about 6:00 p.m.?
12. Great! **I'll** see you at 6:00 p.m.

Let's Revise

The underlined words are "Wh-questions". They are used to ask questions.

GLOSSARY

available: not taken.

Know Grammar

The words in bold are contractions. They are formed by shortening words into one. An apostrophe (') is used to replace the missing letter.

Examples:

I am → I'm
I have → I've
I do not → I don't
I will → I'll
That is → That's
I would → I'd

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UNIT 3: PLACES WE LIVE

Exercise 1: Based on the dialogue, use the contractions given to complete the sentences below. Type your answer in the column.

I've

I'm

I don't

I'll

1. _____ interested in the apartment in Bandar Sri Mesra.
2. _____ heard that the apartment is beautiful.
3. _____ like to see the apartment.
4. _____ think I would be able to make it at 5:00 p.m.
5. _____ see you at 6:00 p.m.

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Exercise 2: Type the contraction for each for the words given.

1	I am	I'm
2	I have	
3	I do not	
4	I will	
5	That is	
6	I would	

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