

Read the dialogue from 'Suspects'. Underline the contractions.

Lewis : Oh okay. I'll say it was me.

Yasmin : You'd do that for me?

Lewis : I'm always in trouble anyway. And I just want to get out of here!

Yasmin: No, I'm going to confess. I don't deserve you being so nice to me.

Ahmed : I've got a better idea.

Erin : And what's that. Sherlock?

Rewrite the dialogue without contractions.

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How has the tone of the dialogue changed? Why do you think contractions are used for dialogue?

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