

Contraction or Possessive?

Contractions are the shortened forms of two words, usually a pronoun + verb, verb + adverb, or WH-word + verb. The words are joined together by deleting one or more letters and adding an apostrophe in its/their place.

Possessives are words that show ownership. They can consist of a noun plus an "s," joined by an apostrophe, a pronouns plus an "s" without an apostrophe, or an entirely new word, known as a possessive pronoun.

Write the extended form of the contractions below.

1. We're _____
2. They're _____
3. It's _____
4. Wouldn't _____
5. Won't _____
6. He's _____
7. You're _____
8. Shouldn't _____
9. Can't _____
10. Don't _____