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CONTRACTIONS

A **contraction** is a shortened form of two combined words. An **apostrophe (')** replaces the missing letters.

Write the contraction for each of the pair of words.

1. he will _____
2. does not _____
3. there is _____
4. I am _____
5. she would _____
6. they are _____

Write the two word the contractions were formed from.

7. can't _____ _____
8. didn't _____ _____
9. you'd _____ _____
10. I'll _____ _____
11. mustn't _____ _____
12. won't _____ _____

Read each sentence carefully and write the contraction that can replace a pair of words in each sentence.

13. We are going to the carnival on Saturday. _____
14. Tom said he would be running a little late. _____
15. Mary and Mark said they will see us there. _____
16. I have not seen Brian for the day. _____
17. What is the time now? _____
18. We had not reached yet when it started to rain. _____
19. You will have to call us when you reach. _____
20. We will wait for you. _____

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