The verb 'to be'

1 Write am, is, are.

He ..... a doctor.

It ..... a car.

I ..... a policeman.

They ..... chairs.

We ..... firefighters.

It ..... a cake.

I ..... a teacher.

You ..... friends.

They ..... cherries.

It ..... a robot.

She ..... a nurse.

We ..... a family.

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2 Match and write.

She • • 're _____

I • • 's She's a singer.

They • • 'm _____

It • • 's _____

3 Tick ✓ the correct sentences.

- ☐ You'm from China.
- ☐ You're from China.
- ☐ It're a blue whale.
- ☐ It's a blue whale.
- ☐ I'm 17 years old.
- ☐ I's 17 years old.
- ☐ We's Italian.
- ☐ We're Italian.
- ☐ They're elephants.
- ☐ They's elephants.
- ☐ He's my brother.
- ☐ He'm my brother.

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4 Read and rewrite using the contraction.

1	She is not a doctor.	=	She isn't	a doctor.
2	It is not a book.	=	_____	book.
3	They are not Japanese.	=	_____	Japanese.
4	I am not 8 years old.	=	_____	8 years old.
5	We are not students.	=	_____	students.
6	He is not a king.	=	_____	a king.
7	It is not a black board.	=	_____	a black board.

5 Underline the correct answers.

1 They are / **aren't** dancers.

2 They **are / aren't** apples.

3 I **'m / I'm not** 11 years old.

4 We **are / aren't** Australian.

5 It **is / isn't** a rose.

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