



3rd Grade Packet Answer Key

Contractions

Weekly Spelling Homework - Answer Key

(Form B) LESSON WEEK 5: Contractions and Possessives

Decoded Skill Words

hadn't I've it's she'd you'd
 who's they're I'll what's its
 they'll I'm weren't we've their

Spelling Tic Tac Toe

<p>1. Any word below is correct.</p> <p>hadn't she'd you'd</p>	<p>2. Any two words below are correct.</p> <p>I've I'll I'm</p>	<p>3. Any pair of words below is correct.</p> <p>its it's their they're</p>
<p>4. A correct answer will consist of a sentence that includes a skill word from the word bank and at least one of the words below.</p> <p>way people see go look</p>	<p>5. Any sentence that contains one contraction and one possessive from the word bank above is correct.</p>	<p>6. Any two pairs below are correct.</p> <p>hadn't: had not I've: I have it's: it is/has she'd: she had/would you'd: you had/would who's: who is/has they're: they are I'll: I will what's: what is/has they'll: they will I'm: I am weren't: were not we've: we have</p>
<p>7. Any two words below are correct.</p> <p>it's who's what's</p>	<p>8. Any sentence that contains a contraction from the word bank above is correct.</p>	<p>9. Any sentence that contains one of the words below is correct.</p> <p>its their</p>

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Cloze Passage

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“Whose glasses are these? Are they your glasses, Ling?” said Kim.

“No, they’re Dan’s glasses,” said Ling.

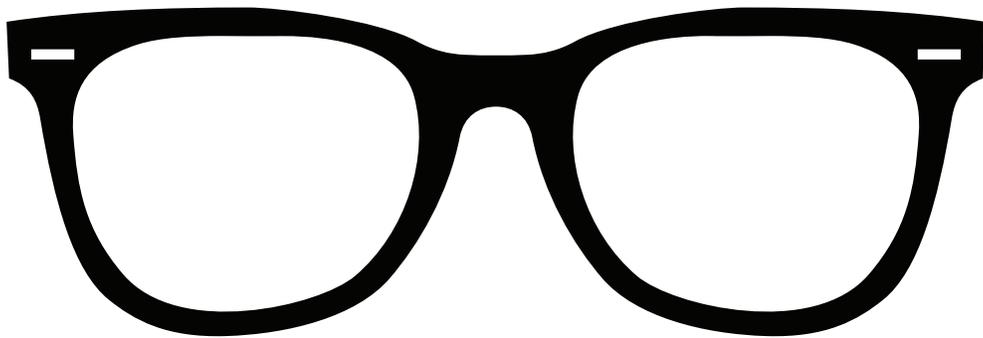
“Who’s Dan?” asked Kim.

“Greg and Max said that he is in their math class,” said Ling.

“What about this bag? Its tag is blank,” said Kim.

“I think it’s his bag too,” said Ling.

“You can ask him when you’re with him,” said Kim.



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Contractions and Possessives

it's

Its

their

they're

Who's

Whose

your

you're

Name _____

Contractions are two words that are combined to make one word. To make the contraction, some letters are removed and replaced with an apostrophe (').

Lesson 30: Contractions

Read each sentence. Then find the two words that are underlined in each sentence. Find the correct contraction in the box and write the it in the space next to the sentence.

It's	won't	
She'll	couldn't	Who'd

She will be here at 10:00. She'll

Sam will not help. won't

The desk is not here. It is in here. It's

Who would like to go into the shop? Who'd

Ann could not go to the mall. couldn't

Reading Horizons Discovery® Spelling Lesson Week 5
Sort and Spell 2
Contractions

Sort Contractions with <i>am</i> , <i>are</i> , <i>is</i> , and <i>has</i>				
	am	are	is	has
	I'm	you're	who's	he's
		they're	he's	she's
		we're	here's	it's
			that's	that's
			what's	what's
			it's	who's
			she's	there's
			there's	

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Using the words in the Word Sort, fill in the blanks to complete the sentences below.

1. We're on the path to the camp.

2. Six kids will get on the bus, and they're all here.

3. It's been a hot day in the sun.

4. Who's in your math class? There's roll to call.

5. I can't get the plum that's up there. I'm not that tall.

6. That is Jan. She's got a red van, and it's fast.

7. I'll bet you're glad that your dad is here. He's glad to see you too.

8. I don't know what's made you sad. What's wrong?

9. Here's a mug from Ron. He's made it just for you.

10. This is the dog that's been lost by the mall. She's big!

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Using the words in the Word Sort, answer the questions below.

1. Which word in the sort is used most often in the contractions? is

2. How many contractions are in two different columns?
5: he's, she's, it's, that's, what's

3. Which column only has one contraction? am

4. Which two sets of words make up the contraction that's? that is, that has

5. How many of the contractions from the sort contain personal pronouns, or refer to people? 9: I'm, you're, they're, we're, who's, he's (he is), she's (she is), he's (he has), she's (she has)

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Sort and Spell 4
Contractions and Possessives

Sort Contractions and Possessives		
Contractions		Possessives
he's	who's	their
it's	you're	your
she'd	they'd	whose
they're	we've	its
we're	I'm	

Name _____ Date _____

Using the words in the Word Sort, fill in the blanks to complete the sentences below.

1. He's my dad.

2. This is my pal Tim. We've been at the mall all.

3. The cat will nap in its bed. It's a soft bed.

4. They said they'd be there by one, but they are still not there.

5. Your dad said that you're ill. We miss you in class.

6. Min is ten, and I'm six.

7. Jill said she'd call me at two.

8. Mom and Dad will get in their van. They're about to go to the shop.

9. Whose ball is this? Will you find out who's got the bat and mitt?

10. Tan and Chad are in my class, and we're all pals.

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Using the words in the Word Sort, answer the questions below.

1. Which column in this sort contains the most words?

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2. How many words in the sort are possessives?

4: whose, its, your, their

3. Some of the words in the sort sound the same.

What are two ways that they are different? They are spelled differently. They have different meanings.

Possessives do not contain apostrophes, but contractions do.

4. Not all possessives are included in this sort. Think of two additional possessives, and write them here.

his, hers, her, my, mine, our, ours