

# Contraction Detective

Write the contracted form of the words.



Detective Dog is looking for words that can be contracted in the following sentences. Help him to find them by writing each sentence out again with the contracted word form.

For example:

**Expanded form:** In the morning, **they will** be going on holiday.

**Contracted form:** In the morning, **they'll** be going on holiday.

1. Later, we are going to the park.

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2. Lucy was amazed! She had never been to such a fantastic place.

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3. I have always wanted a pet dog.

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4. Where is the party tomorrow afternoon?

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5. John is very friendly and he is funny too.

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6. It is very late so we will finish the game tomorrow.

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7. In the cave, there is a mighty dragon.

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# Missing Apostrophe

Add the apostrophe to contracted words.

Below are some sentences with contracted words. However, all the apostrophes are missing. Please add the apostrophe to each contracted word so that the sentences make sense.

1. Whats inside the box?

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2. She wont be able to climb the mountain because its too big.

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3. Were going to be late if we dont hurry.

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4. The tiger is very big and shes very dangerous!

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5. When youve taken your medicine, youll feel better.

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6. Sarah was nervous because she hadnt been on an aeroplane before.

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7. My parents are very caring and theyre kind.

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8. Hes going outside because its hot inside.

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9. Lets play football today.

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10. I wont stay up too late because its a school night.

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