

Name: _____ Date: _____

CONTRACTIONS

Remember! A contraction is when two words are shortened in form and are put together to form one new word.

Write the contracted form of the following words.

- | | | | | | |
|---|----------|---------|----|------------|--|
| 1 | They are | They're | 8 | Is not | |
| 2 | Can not | | 9 | Would not | |
| 3 | I am | | 10 | He is | |
| 4 | It is | | 11 | Will not | |
| 5 | Do not | | 12 | Were not | |
| 6 | I have | | 13 | We will | |
| 7 | She is | | 14 | Should not | |

Read the contracted form of the words and write the two base words.

- | | | | | | |
|---|---------|---------|----|----------|--|
| 1 | Didn't | Did not | 8 | I've | |
| 2 | There's | | 9 | They've | |
| 3 | That's | | 10 | You're | |
| 4 | They'd | | 11 | Will not | |
| 5 | They'll | | 12 | Haven't | |
| 6 | I'd | | 13 | Weren't | |
| 7 | I'll | | 14 | Wouldn't | |