Contractions

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Write the contraction for each pair of words.

1. do not = ___
2. cannot = ___
3. it is = ___
4. they are = ___
5. we will = ___
6. I am = ___
7. should not = ___
8. would have = ___
9. he is = ___
10. you have = ___
11. did not = ___
12. she will = ___
13. are not = ___
14. could not = ___
15. we are = ___
16. that is = ___

Contractions — Answer Key

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The apostrophe replaces the missing letters. 'do not' loses the o in not.

1. do not = ___ **don't**
2. cannot = ___ **can't**
3. it is = ___ **it's**
4. they are = ___ **they're**
5. we will = ___ **we'll**
6. I am = ___ **I'm**
7. should not = ___ **shouldn't**
8. would have = ___ **would've**
9. he is = ___ **he's**
10. you have = ___ **you've**
11. did not = ___ **didn't**
12. she will = ___ **she'll**
13. are not = ___ **aren't**
14. could not = ___ **couldn't**
15. we are = ___ **we're**
16. that is = ___ **that's**