

Contractions Review

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Understanding Contractions and Apostrophes

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Answer the questions below about contractions and how they work.

1. A contraction is made by combining two words and using an ____.

2. What does the apostrophe in a contraction show?

- A. Where letters are added
- B. Where letters are missing
- C. Where words are separated

3. Can you name two contractions we learned today?

4. Contractions make language more formal and less friendly.

- True False

5. The contraction 'do not' becomes ____.

6. Why do we use contractions?

- A. To make words longer
- B. To make language more fluid
- C. To make writing harder

7. What happens to the letters when we make a contraction?

8. Contractions can help make language easier to say and write.

- True False

9. An example of a contraction is 'we will' which becomes ____.

10. Which of the following is NOT a contraction?

- A. can't
- B. you'll
- C. do

Answer Key

1. apostrophe 2. Where letters are missing 3. don't and we'll 4. False 5. don't 6. To make language more fluid 7. Some letters are left out. 8. True 9. we'll 10. do