

## Contractions

**Proofread a Report** To find out what happened in a playground accident, Tim's teacher had everyone write about it. Circle four spelling mistakes in Tim's report. Write the words correctly. Rewrite the compound sentence with a comma.

I **havn't** been playing ball lately, so I **did'nt** see the accident with the bat. I was playing tag with Dan. He said **hed** been playing ball earlier.

I'd tell you more but **thats** all I know. I hope Julian wasn't hurt badly.

- haven't** \_\_\_\_\_
- didn't** \_\_\_\_\_
- he'd** \_\_\_\_\_
- that's** \_\_\_\_\_
- I'd tell you more, but that's all I know.** \_\_\_\_\_

### Spelling Words

let's  
he'd  
you'll  
can't  
I'd  
you'd  
haven't  
  
hasn't  
she'd  
they'll  
when's  
we'd  
they'd  
wasn't  
didn't

### Frequently Misspelled Words

that's  
they're  
didn't  
it's

**Proofread Words** Circle the correct word and write it on the line.

- Do you think **we'd** we'ld like the movie? 6. **we'd** \_\_\_\_\_
- I **cant** **can't** play right now. 7. **can't** \_\_\_\_\_
- Before we go, **lets'** **let's** say goodbye. 8. **let's** \_\_\_\_\_
- I know **they'll** they'l love this gift! 9. **they'll** \_\_\_\_\_
- He **has'nt** **hasn't** found his dog yet. 10. **hasn't** \_\_\_\_\_
- I think **you'll** you'l be the winner. 11. **you'll** \_\_\_\_\_
- He said **you'd** youd eaten all the pizza. 12. **you'd** \_\_\_\_\_



**Home Activity** Your child identified misspelled contractions. Point to a spelling word. Ask your child to name the letters that were replaced by the apostrophe (').