



GK-86

Intervention Activities Guide (IAG)
Blackline Masters



Graphophonemic Knowledge | Contractions, High-Frequency Words and Homonyms: Contractions

GK-86 Contraction Chart

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Students write contractions under the correct heading.

MATERIALS: *Contractions list, paper, pencils/markers*

- 1 Make a five-column chart labeled *Will, Are, Is/Has, Have* and *Not* and provide a copy to each student.
- 2 Call out a contraction (e.g., *we'll, they're, you're, who's, it's*).
- 3 Students write the contraction under the correct heading. For example, the contraction

you're should be written under the *Are* heading; the contraction *we've* under the *Have* heading.

- 4 When the charts are complete, students share what they've written under each column. Confirm that words are listed under the correct column.
- 5 Students make corrections as needed.

EXTENSION: After completing the activity in class, turn it into a workstation. Write the five headings on colored index cards and contractions on white index cards. Put all the cards together in an envelope. Students lay out the headings and place each contraction word below the appropriate heading. Students can then write a sentence using each contraction.



PREPARATION OF MATERIALS: Use the lists provided below or create your own lists. Follow the activity directions.

Contractions List Will	
I'll	who'll
you'll	what'll
he'll	where'll
she'll	when'll
they'll	how'll
that'll	

Contractions List Are
they're
we're
you're

Contractions List Is/Has	
he's	where's
she's	when's
it's	why's
that's	how's
who's	what's

Contractions List Have
I've
you've
we've
they've

Contractions List Not	
isn't	wouldn't
aren't	don't
wasn't	doesn't
haven't	didn't
hasn't	can't
hadn't	couldn't
won't	shouldn't

	Will
	Are
	Is/Has
	Have
	Not