

Apostrophes for Contractions and Possession

Name: _____

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Part A: Contractions

Write the contraction for each pair of words.

1. do not = _____

2. I will = _____

3. she is = _____

4. they have = _____

5. could not = _____

6. we are = _____

Part B: Singular Possession

Rewrite each phrase using an apostrophe to show possession.

1. the tail of the dog = _____

2. the book belonging to James = _____

3. the car of my teacher = _____

4. the wings of the bird = _____

Part C: Plural Possession

Add apostrophes correctly to show plural possession.

1. the toys belonging to the children = the _____ toys

2. the staffroom of the teachers = the _____ staffroom

3. the kennel for the dogs = the _____ kennel

4. the nest of the birds = the _____ nest

Part D: Mixed Practice

Rewrite each sentence, adding apostrophes where needed.

1. The girls bikes were parked outside the school.

2. Its not fair that we cant go to Sarahs party.

3. The childrens artwork was displayed in the principals office.

4. Theyre going to visit their friends house tomorrow.
