

Contractions

A **contraction** is a word made by shortening two words and combining them with an apostrophe.

Example: I'd like to write a book someday. (Contraction)

Possessive nouns are nouns that show ownership.

Example: Jeremy's birthday is coming up soon. (Possessive noun)

Underline the words with apostrophes, and write whether they're contractions or possessive nouns.

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7) Jamie borrowed Katie's pencil.

8) The kids love Ms. Smith's bedtime stories.

9) The Hills said they'll move to Florida soon.

10) Lia doesn't know the answer to this question.