

Contractions Week #2

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Review Contractions Week #1.

We will continue to contract a verb plus the adverb *not*.

Week #2:

We will begin by contracting a verb with the adverb *not*.

<u>Verb</u>	+	<u>Adverb</u>	=	<u>Contraction</u>
are	+	not	=	aren't
was	+	not	=	wasn't
were	+	not	=	weren't
must	+	not	=	mustn't
might	+	not	=	mightn't
can	+	not	=	can't
is	+	not	=	isn't

Remember to put the apostrophe in the contraction ! Otherwise, you will end up with a new word (cant means (1) to sing/chant; singsong speech (2) slanting surface; (3) lively

Flashcard: Cut on the solid lines and fold on the dotted line.

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aren't © Beverly Schmitt 1997-2002, all rights reserved	are (verb) + not (adverb)
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wasn't © Beverly Schmitt 1997-2002, all rights reserved	was (verb) + not (adverb)
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weren't © Beverly Schmitt 1997-2002, all rights reserved	were (verb) + not (adverb)
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mustn't © Beverly Schmitt 1997-2002, all rights reserved	must (verb) + not (adverb)
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mightn't

might (verb) + not (adverb)

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can't

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cant

(1) to sing/chant; singsong speech
(2) slanting surface;
(3) lively

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