Contractions and Possessives

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Instructions

1. An apostrophe (') can stand for the letters left out of a contraction, as in is not becoming isn't.
2. An apostrophe and an s can also show that a person or animal owns something, as in my brother's shoe.
3. Rewrite each word, phrase, or sentence so that it uses an apostrophe.

Example

the leash that belongs to our puppy

our puppy's leash

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1. do not

2. The desk that belongs to my teacher is tidy.

3. it is

4. the truck that Uncle Ray owns

5. the barn of the farmer

6. the whistle that the coach owns

7. the apron that the baker owns

8. The ball that belongs to the puppy rolled under the couch.