

Contractions

Below are some sentences with contracted (shortened) words. However, all the apostrophes are missing. Please re-write the sentence and add the apostrophe to each contracted word so that the sentences make sense. There may be more than one contraction in each sentence:

1. Whats inside the box?

2. She wont be able to climb the mountain because its too big.

3. Were going to be late if we dont hurry.

4. When youve taken your medicine, youll feel better.



Detective Dog is looking for words that can be contracted (shortened) in the following sentences. Help him to find them by writing each sentence out again with the contracted word form:

For example:

Expanded form: In the morning, they will be going on holiday.

Contracted form: In the morning, they'll be going on holiday.

5. Later, we are going to the park.

6. Lucy was amazed! She had never been to such a fantastic place.

7. I have always wanted a pet dog.

8. Where is the party tomorrow afternoon?
