

Contractions Scoot

Objective: This game will give students an opportunity to review basic contractions.

Materials: Grid Worksheet (one per student)
Scoot Question Cards (one per desk)

Preparation: Place a Scoot Question Card on each desk.
Attach them to the desk with tape.

How to Play: Students will move from desk to desk around the classroom. At each desk, students will read the contraction card and write the answer on the grid worksheet. When the teacher says "SCOOT," they move to the next desk. Students visit each desk in the classroom and answer all of the question cards.

example: A student is at desk 1.
He reads a Scoot question card that says
"Write out the words for the contraction **do not**."
He writes "**don't**" on his grid worksheet.
When the teacher says "SCOOT," he moves to desk number 2.

At the end of the game, collect all of the question cards and review the answers with the class.

Management Suggestions:

Practice moving from desk to desk before playing the actual game. Have them "Scoot" four or five times before you begin the actual game.

Some teachers like to spread out the desks a bit so students do not look at the cards to the right or left of them before they arrive at the desks.

Watch your timing. If you tell the students to scoot too soon, they may not be able to finish writing answers to their question cards. If you wait too long before telling students to scoot, they may get bored and restless.

Use only as many question cards as you need. This version of the game has 30 cards. However, if you have only 18 desks in your classroom, only use 18 cards and 18 squares on the grid.

(This file has 20, 25, and 30 square grids. Use whichever one best meets your needs.)



Contractions
 Scoot

1

Write the contraction for

do not.

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2

Write out the words for
the contraction

we've.

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3

Write the contraction for

should not.

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4

Write out the words for
the contraction

I'll.

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5

Write the contraction for

you are.

Contractions
 Scoot

6

Write out the words for
the contraction

isn't.

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7

Write the contraction for

that is.

Contractions
 Scoot

8

Write out the words for
the contraction

doesn't.

Contractions
 Scoot

9

Write the contraction for

were not.

Contractions
 Scoot

10

Write out the words for
the contraction

I'm.

Contractions
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11

Write the contraction for

I would.

Contractions
 Scoot

12

Write out the words for
the contraction

you'll.

Contractions
 Scoot

13

Write the contraction for

what is.

Contractions
 Scoot

14

Write out the words for
the contraction

I've.

Contractions
 Scoot

15

Write the contraction for

had not.

Contractions
 Scoot

16

Write out the words for
the contraction

can't.

Contractions
 Scoot

17

Write the contraction for

will not.

Contractions
 Scoot

18

Write out the words for
the contraction

It'll.

Contractions
 Scoot

19

Write the contraction for

he has.

Contractions
 Scoot

20

Write out the words for
the contraction

hasn't.

Contractions
 Scoot

21

Write the contraction for

she will.

Contractions
 Scoot

22

Write out the words for
the contraction

mustn't.

Contractions
 Scoot

23

Write the contraction for

we are.

Contractions
 Scoot

24

Write out the words for
the contraction

wouldn't.

Contractions
 Scoot

25

Write the contraction for

let us.

Contractions
 Scoot

26

Write out the words for
the contraction

there's.

Contractions
 Scoot

27

Write the contraction for

we had.

Contractions
 Scoot

28

Write out the words for
the contraction

couldn't.

Contractions
 Scoot

29

Write the contraction for

what have.

Contractions
 Scoot

30

Write out the words for
the contraction

where's.

Name: _____

Contractions Scoot

Answer Grid:
20 Squares

①	②	③	④	⑤
⑥	⑦	⑧	⑨	⑩
⑪	⑫	⑬	⑭	⑮
⑯	⑰	⑱	⑲	⑳

Name: _____

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Answer Grid:
25 Squares

①	②	③	④	⑤
⑥	⑦	⑧	⑨	⑩
⑪	⑫	⑬	⑭	⑮
⑯	⑰	⑱	⑲	⑳
㉑	㉒	㉓	㉔	㉕

Name: _____

Contractions Scoot

Answer Grid:
30 Squares

①	②	③	④	⑤
⑥	⑦	⑧	⑨	⑩
⑪	⑫	⑬	⑭	⑮
⑯	⑰	⑱	⑲	⑳
㉑	㉒	㉓	㉔	㉕
㉖	㉗	㉘	㉙	㉚

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Answer
Sheet

① don't	② we have	③ shouldn't	④ I will	⑤ you're
⑥ is not	⑦ that's	⑧ does not	⑨ weren't	⑩ I am
⑪ I'd	⑫ you will	⑬ what's	⑭ I have	⑮ hadn't
⑯ cannot	⑰ won't	⑱ it will	⑲ he's	⑳ has not
㉑ she'll	㉒ must not	㉓ we're	㉔ would not	㉕ let's
㉖ there is	㉗ we'd	㉘ could not	㉙ what've	㉚ where is