

Name : \_\_\_\_\_

## Contractions

Rewrite each sentence using the contracted form of the underlined words.

Example: They are good musicians.

**They're good musicians.**

1) They are not playing tag today.

\_\_\_\_\_

2) We waited for Jacob and Samantha, but they had already reached the venue.

\_\_\_\_\_

3) Mother could not stop laughing at Nina's jokes.

\_\_\_\_\_

4) It does not rain as much in California as it does in Florida.

\_\_\_\_\_

5) The puppet show is not playing in the theaters.

\_\_\_\_\_

6) Kylie would not eat potato leek soup.

\_\_\_\_\_

7) Caroline cannot speak German at all.

\_\_\_\_\_

8) We shall organize a slumber party soon.

\_\_\_\_\_

Name : \_\_\_\_\_

## Answer key

# Contractions

Rewrite each sentence using the contracted form of the underlined words.

Example: They are good musicians.

**They're good musicians.**

1) They are not playing tag today.

**They aren't playing tag today.**

2) We waited for Jacob and Samantha, but they had already reached the venue.

**We waited for Jacob and Samantha, but they'd already reached the venue.**

3) Mother could not stop laughing at Nina's jokes.

**Mother couldn't stop laughing at Nina's jokes.**

4) It does not rain as much in California as it does in Florida.

**It doesn't rain as much in California as it does in Florida.**

5) The puppet show is not playing in the theaters.

**The puppet show isn't playing in the theaters.**

6) Kylie would not eat potato leek soup.

**Kylie wouldn't eat potato leek soup.**

7) Caroline cannot speak German at all.

**Caroline can't speak German at all.**

8) We shall organize a slumber party soon.

**We'll organize a slumber party soon.**