

## Answers

### Monday - Contractions

#### Expected

5a. couldn't

6a. True

7a. Did not and didn't, what is and what's, you will and you'll, we have and we've.

8a. we're, hasn't, she's

#### Expected

5b. you're

6b. False, it replaces the letter o.

7b. Should not and shouldn't, had not and hadn't, cannot and can't, let us and let's.

8b. aren't, you'll, don't

Rewrite the passage below using the correct contraction for the underlined words below.

It's my party!



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

We're having a birthday party just for me today! It's June 29<sup>th</sup> and I'll be 7 years old. I invited many friends. They're all coming, but not Alex. He's on a trip with his family and can't come. I don't know what kind of cake Mum got me. She's keeping it a surprise and that's okay because I like surprises. Dad and Mum told me not to peek at my birthday gift and I haven't, even when I really wanted to.

### Tuesday – Apostrophes for possession

#### Developing

1a. boy's

2a. The frog's skin is green

3a. False. The letter s has been added to show there is more than one boot.

#### Developing

1b. rat's

2b. The duck's wings are wet.

3b. True. The apostrophe and letter s have been added to the word cat to show the flap belongs to the cat.