

# Rocking and Rolling

Name \_\_\_\_\_

## Practice of the Week: Contractions

- The boys collected 321 Pokemon cards while the girls collected 569 beanie babies. How many things did they collect in all?
- Colina raised \$478 in Smoothie sales in August and \$239 in September. How much did they raise in Smoothie sales for both months?

A contraction is a short way to write two words. An apostrophe ( ' ) takes the place of the missing letter or letters.

Write the two words that make up the contractions.

- I'd* love to learn more about volcanoes.  
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- What's* the tallest mountain on Earth?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- Aren't* earthquakes scary?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- I am glad *I've* never seen a tsunami.  
\_\_\_\_\_
- It's* fun to learn about earth science.  
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### Spelling words of the Week: Rocking and Rolling (Contractions)

Ideas to practice:

- \* put them in ABC order
- \* write a story using as many words as you can
- \* divide them in syllables
- \* make flashcards
- \* write in chalk
- \* write each word in a sentence
- \* sign each letter (use your dictionary)
- \* write your words 5 times each

- it's
- isn't
- you've
- we'd
- didn't
- she's
- we've
- haven't
- he'd
- they'd
- there's
- don't
- we'll

- won't
- he's
- temperature
- depth
- width
- weight
- height

Vocabulary Words:

edges  
range  
peak  
epicenter  
magma  
coast

Write the contraction for the two words.

- We are \_\_\_\_\_
- Could not \_\_\_\_\_
- They are \_\_\_\_\_
- Did not \_\_\_\_\_
- Have not \_\_\_\_\_

