

# SCHOOL-HOME LINKS

Child's name \_\_\_\_\_

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**can't (can + not)**

**he'll (he + will)**

**I've (I + have)**

- Practice reading these contractions:

shouldn't (should + not)

won't (will + not)

they're (they + are)

he's (he + is)

wouldn't (would + not)

we'll (we + will)

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she'll (she + will)

couldn't (could + not)

I'm (I + am)

doesn't (does + not)

here's (here + is)

- **More Fun:** Next to each contraction above, write the letters that have been left out when the contraction is formed.

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