Fresh Out Contractions ©2004 Education Inspired	For grades 2-4; Groups of 2-5 How to Play: 1. Remove the title, rules, and answer key. Shuffle the cards. Pass out 5 cards to each player for 2-3 players, 4 cards to each player for 4-5 players. Stack the remaining cards face down to make a DRAW pile. 2. Beginning with the player to the left of the dealer and continuing around the group, one player asks any other player for a card needed to match either a contraction or the words. For example, if the player has "is not" he or she could ask any	specific player for "isn't, I-S-N- '-T". The asker must say the contraction and spell it. If the player asked has the card, it must be given to the asker. If not, the asked player says "Fresh out" and the asker takes a card from the DRAW pile. 3. When a match is made, place it face up on the table for the group to see. Use the answer key to settle discrepancies. 4. When a match is made, the player gets another turn. 5. Play continues until one player runs out of cards.	Answer Key 1-21 14-24 2-38 15-36 3-41 16-26 4-7 17-43 5-31 18-34 6-44 19-29 8-25 20-39 9-33 22-35 10-28 23-40 11-37 27-32 12-13 30-42
is not	isn't	he will	he'll
1	21	31	5

are not	aren't	you will	you'll
2	38	3	41
does not	doesn't	she will	she'll
4	7	6	44

has not	hasn't	we will	we'll
8	25	9	33
I am	I'm	should not	shouldn't
10	28	11	37

they will	they'll	you have	you've
12	13	14	24
I will	I'll	that is	that's
15	36	16	26

he is	he's	you are	you're
17	43	18	34
have not	haven't	she is	she's
19	29	20	39

do not	don't	did not	didn't
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22	35	23	40
could not	couldn't	we have	we've
27	32	30	42