A contraction is a short form of two words.

An apostrophe (') shows where one or more letters have been left out.

Some contractions are made using a pronoun.

she is.....she's he is.....he's I am.....I'm

it is.....it's

Read each sentence, and form a contraction using the words in ().

I. (He is) the best runner in our class.

2. (It is) time for lunch.

3. (I am) helping my teacher clean.

4. (She is) my best friend.

Write the pronoun and verb for the underlined contraction.

I. $\underline{I'm}$ going to my fiend's house.

2. She's a great speller.

3. It's my turn to clean the tables.

4. He's a great friend to me.