## **List o' Common Contractions:**

	BE	WILL	WOULD	HAVE	HAD
т	I'm	I'll	I'd	I've	I'd
I	I am	I will	I would	I have	I had
you		you'll	you'd	you've	you'd
	you're	you	you	you	you
	you are	will	would	have	had
he	he's	he'll	he'd	he's	he'd
He	he is	he will	he would	he has	he had
she	sh <mark>e</mark> 's	she'll	she'd she	she's	she'd
	she is	she will	would	she has	she had
it	it's (or 'tis)	it'll	it'd	it's	it'd
11	it is	it will	it would	it has	it had
	w <mark>e</mark> 're	w <mark>e</mark> 'll	we'd	we've	we'd
w <mark>e</mark>	we are	we will	we	we	we u
	we are	we will	would	have	we nau
	th <mark>ey</mark> 're	th <mark>ey</mark> 'll	they'd	th <mark>ey</mark> 've	th <mark>ey</mark> 'd
they	they are	they	they	they	they
		will	would	have	had
	that's	that'll	that'd	that's	that'd
that	that is	that	that	that	that
	that is	will	would	has	had
	who's	who'll	who'd	who's	who'd
who	who is	who	who	who	who
		will	would	has	had
	what's/what're	what'll	what'd	what's	what'd
what	what is/what	what	what	what	what
	are	will	would	has	had
1	where's	where'll	where'd		where'd
where	where is	where	where	where	where
		will	would	has	had
when	when's	when'll	when'd	when's	when'd
	when is	when will	when	when	when
			would	has	had
why	why's	why'll	why'd	why's	why'd
	why is	why will	why would	why has	why had
how	how's	how'll	how'd	how's	how'd
	how is	how will	how would	how has	how had
		WIII	would	nas	Hau

WORDS (negating a verb)	CONTRACTION
is not	isn't
are not	aren't
was not	wasn't
were not	weren't
have not	haven't
has not	hasn't
had not	hadn't
will not	won't
would not	wouldn't
do not	don't
does not	doesn't
did not	didn't
cannot	can't
could not	couldn't
should not	shouldn't
might not	mightn't
must not	mustn't

WORDS (woulda- shoulda- coulda)	CONTRACTION
would have	would've
should have	should've
could have	could've
might have	might've
must have	must've

WORDS	DOUBLE CONTRACTION	
she would have	she'd've (colloquial)	
it is not	'tisn't (archaic)	

WORDS (odd ones)	CONTRACTION	
of	ο'	
of the clock	o'clock	
madam	ma'am	
never-do- well	ne'er-do-well	
cat-of- nine-tails	cat-o'-nine-tails	
jack-of- the- lantern	jack-o'-lantern	
will-of- the-wisp	will-o'-the-wisp	
it was	'twas (archaic)	

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