

## RWI Spellings Year 2 St Margaret's Academy Contraction and apostrophes

## **Spelling Zone**

Sometimes we squash two words together to make one word.

I am going on holiday!

I'm going on holiday!

I and **am** have been squashed together and **a** has been squeezed out. An **apostrophe** has taken its place.

Sometimes 2 letters are squeezed out, like this:

I will see you later.

I'll see you later.

I and will have been squashed together and w and i have been squeezed out. An apostrophe has taken their place.

We call these contractions.

You are = you're he is = he's she will = she'll we are = we're