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Describe cualidades o características que una persona o cosa *no* tiene.

He's Japanese.
He's **not** Korean.

You **aren't** alone.
I'm **not** leaving you.

It's **not** raining.
It **isn't** snowing either.

To be

Singular

Plural

I	am	we	are
you	are	you	are
he/ she it	is	they	are

+ not

↑ Kevin is ↑ Cats are

To be (contracción negativa)

Singular

Plural

I'm not	we're not
you're not	we aren't
you aren't	you're not
he's/ she's/ it's not	you aren't
he/ she/ it isn't	they're not
	they aren't

↑ Kevin's **not**
Kevin **isn't**

↑ Cats **aren't**

"To be" en la forma negativa

Para hablar de lo que algo *no* es, simplemente añade la palabra "not" justo después de la conjugación del verbo "to be".

Forma de Contracción

Hay dos opciones para hacer contracciones en la forma negativa:

1. **Combina el pronombre y verbo "to be" en una contracción.** Luego añade "not" como una palabra separada.
 - También se puede añadir un "apostrofe s" ('s) a un sustantivo específico singular. Esto no se hace con sustantivos plurales.
2. **Combina el verbo "to be" con la palabra "not",** dejando el pronombre sin alterar.
3. Para la primera persona "I am not", solo hay una opción de contracción: "I'm not".

Ejemplos:

I am not tall or blonde.

*We are from Japan. **We are not** from Korea.*

I'm not tall or blonde.

We're not from Korea.

***Freddy** is not very tall. → **Freddy's not** very tall.*

***The car** is not here. → **The car's not** here.*

We aren't from Korea.

I am not a doctor. → I'm not a doctor

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3 A

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| 1. I am not | I'm not | x | 6. we are not | we're not | we aren't |
| 2. you are not | you're not | you aren't | 7. you are not | you're not | you aren't |
| 3. he is not | he's not | he isn't | 8. they are not | they're not | they aren't |
| 4. she is not | she's not | she isn't | 9. Emily is not | Emily's not | Emily isn't |
| 5. it is not | it's not | it isn't | 10. kids are not | kids aren't | x |

3 B

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| 2. aren't; you're not | 5. isn't; musician's not | 8. aren't; they're not |
| 3. I'm not | 6. aren't; we're not | 9. isn't; fast food's not |
| 4. isn't; Today's not | 7. aren't | 10. isn't; letter's not |

3 C

2. I am not Buddhist. / I'm not Buddhist.
3. It is not mine. / It's not mine. / It isn't mine.
4. We are not sad. / We're not sad. We aren't sad.
5. They are not from China. / They're not from China. / They aren't from China.
6. It is not a desert. / It's not a desert. / It isn't a desert.
7. You are not early. / You're not early. / You aren't early.
8. The kids are not inside. / The kids aren't inside.