Apostrophe Practice

Remember that apostrophes can be used to show where letters are missing from a word, or to show that something belongs.

we're ← This means 'we are'.

Ali's mug ← A mug belonging to Ali.

1 Fill in the missing gaps with the short and long versions of the words.

could not	couldn't
he has	.....
how is	.....
were not	.....
.....	aren't

.....	that'll
.....	mightn't
would have	.....
.....	we're
he had	.....

2 Write out the phrases, using apostrophes to show that things belong.

The boats have sails ..... The boats' sails .....

The bananas have skins .....

The pianos have pedals .....

The gardens have roses .....

The pencils have leads .....

The pillows have feathers .....

The books have pictures .....

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