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21.1 WORD PRACTICE

-NT CONTRACTION

| 1. | can't | K-NT | aren't | R-NT | isn't | S-NT | didn't | D-NT |
|----|---------|-------|--------|-------|----------|------|-----------|-------|
| 2. | hadn't | H-NT | hasn't | HANT | haven't | V-NT | shouldn't | SH-NT |
| 3. | weren't | WR-NT | wasn't | WUNT | wouldn't | WONT | won't | WOENT |
| 4. | doesn't | DUNT | don't | DOENT | couldn't | KONT | | |



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21.2 PRACTICE SENTENCES

| 1. | We can't meet the demand. | I can't discuss the matter. | Can't you prepare the audit? |
|-----|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 2. | Aren't the bills due now? | We aren't on the roster. | Aren't the men in jail? |
| 3. | Isn't it time to leave? | Susan isn't feeling very well. | Isn't it better to lease it? |
| 4. | We didn't intend to leave. | Didn't the exercise do any good? | Why didn't you ask for 50? |
| 5. | He hadn't been on the trip. | Hadn't you had that suggestion? | He hadn't corresponded yet. |
| 6. | Shouldn't you leave by Monday? | It shouldn't be late at night. | You shouldn't be offended. |
| 7. | Weren't the stores open? | They weren't going to race. | Weren't you looking for 25? |
| 8. | We haven't used that process. | Haven't you seen our cabin? | They haven't asked for a refund. |
| 9. | She couldn't read her notes. | Couldn't we get 68 votes? | Couldn't you hear the siren? |
| 10. | Wouldn't you like to watch? | He wouldn't mow the lawn. | Wouldn't you need more than 75? |
| 11. | I don't believe he has credit. | We don't need your money. | Don't we need some controls? |
| 12. | The bureau won't consider it. | Won't you need some guidance? | We won't be here then. |
| 13. | He hasn't had time to fix it. | Hasn't the order been filled? | Hasn't she read about the play? |
| 14. | He wasn't a hero in the war. | The business wasn't successful. | Wasn't the correspondence filed? |
| 15. | He doesn't have any talent. | Doesn't he pay for escrow? | He doesn't need 34 pencils. |
| 16. | You can't start until April. | You shouldn't cry about defeat. | Bill won't live with that. |



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21.3 THE SILENT W

| 1. | whole | WHOEL | wholly | WHOEL/AE | | |
|----|-----------|-----------|----------|----------|--------|------|
| 2. | wholesome | WHOEL/SOM | whopping | WHAOP/-G | | |
| 3. | whom | WHOM | whomever | WHOM/-FR | | |
| 4. | who | WHO | whoever | WHOFR | | |
| 5. | wrap | WRAP | wren | WREN | | |
| 6. | wreck | WREK | wreak | WRAEK | | |
| 7. | whose | WHAOZ | who's | WHOZ | who is | WHOS |



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21.4 PRACTICE SENTENCES

| 1. | Whose job is it? | Ask whose jacket it is. |
|-----|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 2. | Whose book does he have? | Whose car is it? |
| 3. | Who's calling her now? | Who's going to offer it? |
| 4. | Who's sending it? | Who's looking at it? |
| 5. | Who is going to divide it? | Who is getting the information? |
| 6. | Whom shall I ask? | Whom shall we invite? |
| 7. | Tell whomever you like. | Send whomever you wish. |
| 8. | Hire whoever is better. | Send whoever gets here. |
| 9. | Wrap the package for me. | When will you wrap it up? |
| 10. | Use the new wrapping paper. | He wrapped it for mailing. |
| 11. | He ate the whole peach pie. | The whole town is upset. |
| 12. | The house is a total wreck. | Don't wreck the new car. |
| 13. | He was in a shipwreck. | Have you seen a wren? |
| 14. | The troops wreaked havok. | The boy has whooping cough. |



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21.5 BRIEFS

| 1. | minute | MIN | general | JEN | opinion | P-N |
|----|---------|-----|---------|------|-----------|-----|
| 2. | machine | M-N | discuss | SKUS | yesterday | YED |
| 3. | effect | EFK | affect | AFK | | |



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21.6 BRIEF DRILL

| 1. | affect | general | opinion | machine |
|----|----------|---------|------------|---------|
| 2. | general | minute | particular | discuss |
| 3. | possible | effect | yesterday | machine |
| 4. | order | after | opinion | discuss |
| 5. | effect | upon | recognize | general |
| 6. | affect | effect | yesterday | discuss |
| 7. | minute | opinion | machine | general |



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21.7 PRACTICE SENTENCES

| 1. | What effect will the plan have? | The general effect is quite good. |
|-----|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| 2. | Your advice won't have any effect. | What was the effect of the order? |
| 3. | Give me one more minute. | I will be a minute late. |
| 4. | Take a minute to do it right. | I don't have a minute to spare. |
| 5. | In my opinion, she shouldn't go. | I don't have any opinion at all. |
| 6. | They wouldn't express an opinion. | He wouldn't alter his opinion. |
| 7. | Generally, I would think so. | That is generally a good plan. |
| 8. | His opinions aren't based on fact. | The cake took 45 minutes to bake. |
| 9. | How will it affect the company? | The cold will affect the bloom. |
| 10. | The new law will affect us all. | That doesn't affect my plan. |
| 11. | The question is too general. | It is in general use now. |
| 12. | He sold the old general store. | It was a general partnership. |
| 13. | He hurt his thumb yesterday. | Yesterday was October 21. |
| 14. | They signed the pact yesterday. | She wore her dress yesterday. |
| 15. | The high price is affecting us. | The crop was affected by the hail. |
| 16. | The trip took 30 minutes. | Yesterday was November 28. |



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21.7 PRACTICE SENTENCES CONTINUED

17. The machine isn't working. Don't break the machine.

18. I have an expensive machine. Her machine was stolen.

19. We should discuss the matter. I will discuss it with you.

20. Did you discuss it with him?

They will discuss and give an opinion.



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21.8 CONSONANT COMPOUNDS:

GL- AND GR-

| 1. | glass | glib | glad | gleam |
|----|--------|-------|--------|-------|
| 2. | gland | globe | gloom | glaze |
| 3. | glove | glue | glitch | glee |
| 4. | grade | grand | grab | grip |
| 5. | groove | grape | green | gross |
| 6. | grit | gripe | grove | grind |



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21.9 PRACTICE SENTENCES

| 1. | Use a tall glass vase. | Have you been all over the globe? |
|-----|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 2. | Use a honey glaze on the ham. | Tell him he has glaucoma. |
| 3. | I am glad he won the prize. | Did you glean that information? |
| 4. | The polish made it gleam. | I found the leaf in the glade. |
| 5. | Can you see in the glare? | He laughed with glee. |
| 6. | That is a glob of glue. | He won glory playing ball. |
| 7. | He saw a glimmer of light. | He joined the global tour. |
| 8. | Don't be so glum. | The old house was gloomy. |
| 9. | What grade is Jim in? | A great many will vote. |
| 10. | Paint the room green. | Put gravy on your potatoes. |
| 11. | Mow the grass for me. | He had to grow up quickly. |
| 12. | Greet the statesman. | Where is the grave. |
| 13. | Cut a groove in the wood. | He sought the Holy Grail. |
| 14. | It is time for the Grim Reaper. | Cook the steak on the grill. |
| 15. | The grazing land was for sale. | The skies were gray. |
| 16. | Don't be so greedy. | She entertained in grand style. |

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21.10 TIME FIGURES

NUMBER +:00:

| 1. | 1:00 | 1-K | 2:00 | 2-K | 3:00 | 3-K | 4:00 | 4-K |
|----|------|-----|-------|------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| 2. | 5:00 | 5-K | 6:00 | K-6 | 7:00 | K-7 | 8:00 | K-8 |
| 3. | 9:00 | K-9 | 10:00 | 10-K | 11:00 | 1/1-K | 12:00 | 12-K |

NUMBER + :00 + o'clock:

| 1. | 1:00 o'clock | 1-K/KL-K | 2:00 o'clock | 2-K/KL-K | 3:00 o'clock | 3-K/KL-K |
|----|---------------|-----------|---------------|------------|---------------|-----------|
| 2. | 4:00 o'clock | 4-K/KL-K | 5:00 o'clock | 5-K/KL-K | 6:00 o'clock | K-6/KL-K |
| 3. | 7:00 o'clock | K-7/KL-K | 8:00 o'clock | K-8/KL-K | 9:00 o'clock | K-9/KL-K |
| 4. | 10:00 o'clock | 10-K/KL-K | 11:00 o'clock | 1/1-K/KL-K | 12:00 o'clock | 12-K/KL-K |

TIME WITH HOURS AND MINUTES:

| 1. | 6:30 | K-6/30 | 4:15 | 4-K/15 | 2:20 | 2-K/20 | 11:45 | 1/1-K/45 |
|----|-------|---------|------|---------|------|--------|-------|----------|
| 2. | 12:45 | 12-K/45 | 8:55 | K-8/5/5 | 9:30 | K-9/30 | 1:05 | 1-K/0/5 |

TIMES THAT FOLLOW "a.m." or "p.m.":

| 1. | 9:00 a.m. | K-9/A*M | 9:30 a.m. | K-9/30/A*M |
|----|--------------------|----------------|-------------------|--------------|
| 2. | 1:00 p.m. | 1-K/P*M | 1:45 p.m. | 1-K/45/P*M |
| 3. | 11:00 o/clock a.m. | 1/1-K/KL-K/A*M | 7:00 o'clock p.m. | K-7/KL-K/P*M |

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21.11 TIME FIGURE PRACTICE

| 1. | 1:45 | 1-K/45 | 7:30 | K-7/30 | 2:00 | 2-K |
|----|---------------|------------|-------------------|--------------|-----------|----------|
| 2. | 5:00 o'clock | 5-K/KL-K | 6:25 p.m. | K-6/25/P*M | 8:45 | K-8/45 |
| 3. | 12:00 o'clock | 12-K/KL-K | 6:00 | K-6 | 10:20 | 10-K/20 |
| 4. | 3:50 p.m. | 3-K/50/P*M | 4:15 | 4-K/15 | 7:00 a.m. | K-7/A*M |
| 5. | 5:47 p.m. | 5-K/47/P*M | 9:36 a.m. | K-9/36/A*M | 10:52 | 10-K/5/2 |
| 6. | 4:16 | 4-K/16 | 7:29 a.m. | K-7/29/A*M | 11:58 | 1/1K/58 |
| 7. | 3:09 | 3-K/09 | 1:11 | 1-K/1/1 | 6:40 | K-6/40 |
| 8. | 8:12 p.m. | K-8/12/P*M | 9:00 o'clock a.m. | K-9/KL-K/A*M | 3:00 | 3-K |

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21.12 PRACTICE SENTENCES:

- 1. He should be here at 3:00 or 3:30.
- 2. Will you come home at 6:15 or 6:30?
- 3. Work starts at 9:00 o'clock a.m. and ends at 5:00 o'clock p.m.
- 4. Mom leaves work at 5:30 and gets home at 5:45 or 6:00 o'clock.
- 5. Dad gets home at 7:00 or 8:00 on Mondays and Wednesdays.
- 6. The school closes at 3:30 on Fridays.
- 7. The train leaves at 4:45 on Tuesdays.
- 8. I saw him on Saturday at about 11:00 o'clock a.m.
- 9. I got home at 2:30 p.m.
- 10. She will be gone at 1:25 p.m.
- 11. Will the bus stop here at 9:00 or 9:15?
- 12. The store will be open at 10:00 o'clock a.m. and will close at 9:00 o'clock p.m.
- 13. We will eat dinner at 6:45.
- 14. Out class starts at 8:15 a.m.
- 15. The party will be at 3:00 o'clock.
- 16. Pick her up at 1:35 p.m.