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One word in each sentence is missing an apostrophe. Underline the word and write out the correct version on the line. For example:

My parents car is old and rusty parents'

1. Nicholas wasnt allowed to play chess. \_\_\_\_\_
2. The tigers paw was tangled in some yarn. \_\_\_\_\_
3. We think shell win all the trophies. \_\_\_\_\_
4. Mr Smiths hat blew away in the breeze. \_\_\_\_\_
5. Wed like a chocolate-covered cookie. \_\_\_\_\_
6. The babies rattles were grubby. \_\_\_\_\_
7. Were a disgruntled group of people. \_\_\_\_\_
8. The womens handbags were spacious. \_\_\_\_\_
9. Both the bikes wheels had fallen off. \_\_\_\_\_

*Hint: Look for words that show possession as well as shortened versions of words.*

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Use either **it's** or **its** to complete each sentence. For example:

John's scooter fell onto its side.

10. \_\_\_\_\_ snowing outside; the flakes are tumbling down like feathers.
11. The dog licked \_\_\_\_\_ paw after the inconsiderate owner stood on it.
12. "\_\_\_\_\_ been ages since we met!" she gasped excitedly.
13. I think \_\_\_\_\_ time to go as everyone seems weary.
14. Italy is famous for \_\_\_\_\_ delicious cuisine.
15. Sometimes \_\_\_\_\_ hard to apologise, especially when you don't feel remorse.
16. I swerved out of the way as the car flashed \_\_\_\_\_ lights at me.
17. I hate my uncontrollable frizzy hair, so \_\_\_\_\_ time for a change!
18. The shop helpfully opened \_\_\_\_\_ doors early for us.

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