1. **Verb *to be***

**Positive Contraction**

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| I | am |  from the UAE. | *I am = I’m**He is = He’s**She is = She is**It is = It’s**We are = We’re**You are = You’re**They are = They’re* |
| HeSheIt | is |
| We You They | are |

**Negatives**

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| I | am | **NOT** | Emirati  I’m not   He’s not She’s not It’s not We’re not You’re not They’re not |  |  |
| HeSheIt | is |  |  |
| We You They | are |  |  |

**Questions Answers**

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| Where | am | I | http://www.dubib.com/news_images/2011/02/457936646.jpgfrom? | I’m from the UAE.He’s from the UAE.We’re from the UAE. |
| is | hesheit |
| are | weyouthey |