

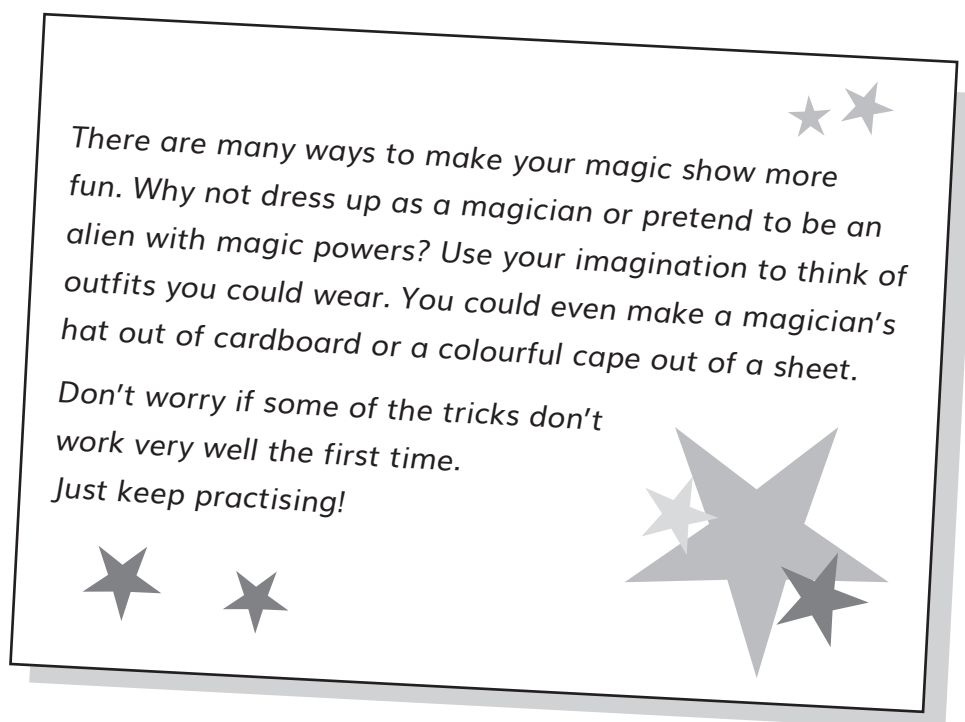
# How Magic Tricks Work

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

## Magic tricks

The author has written in an informal or 'chatty' way by writing in the **first person** and by using the word 'you' a lot. He has also used **contractions** instead of writing out full words.

Find and circle examples of these. Can you see any other ways the author makes the text informal?



## Contractions

See if you can write these words in their shortened form.

Full words	Contraction
Can not	
I will	
Do not	
We have	
Is not	
Should not	

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## Design a graph

Design a column/bar graph to show each classmate's favourite trick. Remember to give the graph a title and label both the horizontal and vertical lines of the graph.



What was the most popular trick?

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What was the least popular trick?

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What was the difference between the most popular and least popular tricks?

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What other information can you find by looking at your graph?

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