

### Tener = To have ( be, possess, contain, hold)

tengo	tenemos
tienes	tenéis
tiene	tienen

### Tener = to be

tener . . . años	to be . . . years old
tener ángel	to be charming
tener buena, mala estrella	to be lucky, unlucky
tener calor, frío	to be hot, cold
tener celos de	to be jealous of
tener cuidado	to be careful
tener la culpa de	to be to blame for
tener éxito	to be successful
tener hambre, sed	to be hungry, thirsty
tener madera para	to be made for, cut out for
tener malas pulgas	to be short-tempered
tener mundo	to be sophisticated
tener prisa	to be in a hurry
tener razón	to be right
tener sueño	to be sleepy
tener suerte	to be lucky
tener vergüenza de	to be ashamed of
tener líos	to be in trouble

Because the expressions with tener use nouns, they are modified with adjectives, not adverbs

Tengo frío.

Tengo **mucho** frío. (not **muy**)

### Tener expressions

tener que	to have to
tener que + infinitive	to have to + infinitive
tener ganas de + infinitive	to feel like / in the mood for + infinitive
tener miedo a/de + noun	to be afraid of + noun
tener miedo a/de + infinitive	to be afraid to + infinitive
tener pensado + infinitive	to plan to + infinitive
tener dolor de . . .	to hurt or be sore of . . .
tener inconveniente	to mind, object to
tener mala cara	to look bad
tener los nervios de punta	to be on edge
tener palabra	to keep one's word
tener una promesa	to keep a promise
tener en cuenta	to keep in mind
tener en mente	to consider
tener que ver con . . .	to have to do with . . .
tener claro	to understand / to see / to be sure
tener lugar	to have time

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tener que + infinitive - "to have to"  
 hay que + infinitive = "one has to" (impersonal phrase used when there is **NO** subject)

