

TENER – to have

tengo	I have
tienes	You have
tiene	He/She has
tenemos	We have
tenéis	You have (plural)
tienen	They have

In a number of cases when in English we use the verb "TO BE" (I am, you are, he/she is, etc.) in Spanish they use the verb "TO HAVE" (tener).

Useful verbs

tener hambre – to be hungry

tener mucha hambre - to be very hungry

tener sed– to be thirsty

tener calor– to be hot

tener mucho calor– to be very hot

tener frío – to be cold

tener mucho frío – to be very cold

tener sueño – to be tired

tener mucho sueño – to be very tired

tener miedo – to be afraid

tener razón – to be right

tener prisa – to be in a hurry

tener que hacer algo – to have to do something

tener cuidado – to be careful

tener lugar – to take place

tener suerte – to be lucky

Translate the following into Spanish:

a) I am very hungry.	i) You are right.
b) We are thirsty.	j) She is in a hurry.
c) I am very hot.	k) I am in a hurry.
d) Are you cold?	l) I have to do my homework.
e) We are tired.	m) We have to go out.
f) She is very tired.	n) They are being careful
g) They are afraid.	o) It takes place next week.
h) I am afraid.	p) You are lucky. (plural)