

Spanish

Describing different family members [2/2]

- Use of *tener* with idiomatic expressions
- Use of *tener que* and *tener ganas de*
(*Plural persons*)

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olvidar

[to
forget]

solo

[alone]

[o]

yo

poco

[little, few]

dos

con



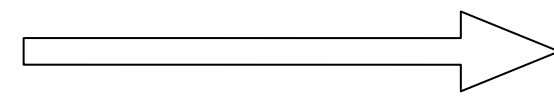
el miedo	fear
el sueño	sleepiness
el éxito	success
la hambre	hunger
el sed	thirst
la suerte	luck
el calor	heat
el razón	reason
encontrar	to find, finding
perder	to lose, losing



Tener ganas de

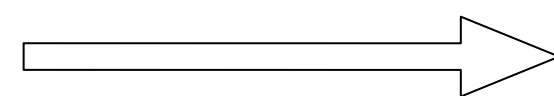
To say you feel like doing something, use the phrase *tener ganas de*.

Tenemos ganas de bailar.



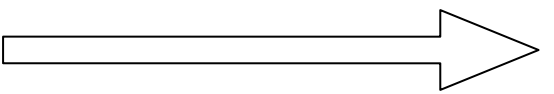
We feel like dancing.

Tenéis ganas de bailar.



You (plural) feel like dancing.

Tienen ganas de bailar.



They feel like dancing

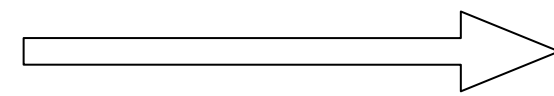
TENER GANAS DE is followed by the infinitive form of the verb.



Tener + que

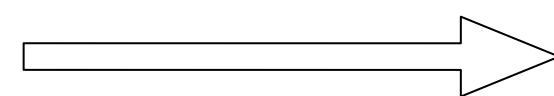
To say you have to do something, use the word 'que' after tener.

Tenemos que jugar.



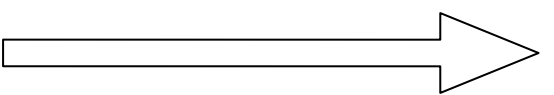
We have to play.

Tenéis que jugar.



You (plural) have to play.

Tienen que jugar.



They have to play

TENER + QUE is followed by the infinitive form of the verb.



Summary

1. The verb *tener* means: **to have/having.**
2. The 'we' form of *tener* is: **tenemos.**
3. *Tener que* must be followed by the **infinitive.**
4. *Tener ganas de* means: **to feel like.**
5. 'They have to' is: **'tienen que'.**

