VERB

Tener-->To Have

The verb "tener" (*teh-NEHR*) means "to have". It is an irregular verb, which means that it does not follow the normal conjugation rules. (*Sometimes tener is used to describe state of being.*)

Tener is used in the following ways:

- To describe possesion   Yo tengo un lapiz.------------> I have a pencil.
- To describe state of being   Yo tengo miedo.---------------> I am scared.
- To tell your age   Tengo 5 años.--------> I am 5 years old.

yo	I	I have-----> yo **tengo**
tú	you	you have----> tú **tienes**
él/ella/Ud.	he/she/sir	he has----> él **tiene**
nosotros	we	we have----> nosotros **tenemos**
vosotros	they/you plural (Spain)	they have----> vosotros **tenéis**
ellos/ellas/Uds.	they/you plural (Latin America)	they have----> ellos **tienen**

Let's practice conjugating the verb **"to have" (tener).**

Yo_____ cinco vacas.
I have five cows.

Tú_____ mucho hambre.
You are very hungry.

Lucy_____ frio.
Lucy is cold.

Ella_____ sueño.
She is very tired.

Él_____ mucho miedo.
He is very scared.

Nosotros_____mucha sed.
We are very thirsty.

Ellas_____ tos.
The girls have a cough.

Vosotros_____calor.
They are hot.

Mimi_____ un carro.
Mimi has a car.

Eddy_____un libro de dibujo.
Eddy has a book about drawing.