

28 The things I have

When you talk about things you own, such as furniture or pets, you can use the verb "have." You can also use it to talk about your qualifications and the appliances and rooms in your home.

 **New language** Using "have"

Aa Vocabulary Household objects

 **New skill** Talking about possessions

28.1 KEY LANGUAGE USING "HAVE"

"Have" is an irregular verb. The third person singular form is "has," not "haves."

I have a garage.

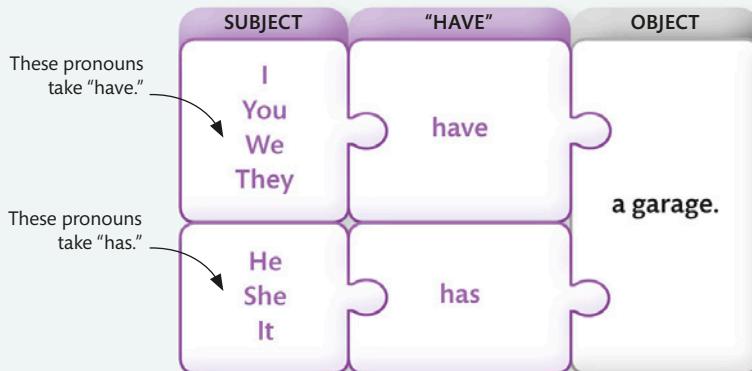


She has a yard.



Use "has" for the third person singular (he, she, or it).

28.2 HOW TO FORM STATEMENTS USING "HAVE"



28.3 FILL IN THE GAPS USING "HAVE" OR "HAS"



I have a house.



They have a car.



You have a chair.



3 He has a dog.



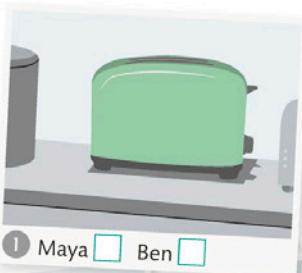
4 We have a daughter.



5 It has a door.



28.4 LISTEN TO THE AUDIO AND MARK WHO OWNS WHICH OBJECT



28.5 READ THE ADVERTISEMENTS AND ANSWER THE QUESTIONS

Riverside Apartment has four bedrooms.

True False

1 Riverside Apartment has one bathroom.

True False

2 Lake View has a yard.

True False

3 Lake View has a garage.

True False

4 Stone Hill has five bedrooms.

True False

5 Stone Hill has a shower.

True False

6 Stone Hill has a kitchen.

True False

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PROPERTIES TO RENT



Riverside Apartment \$800/month

This old apartment is on the first floor of Riverside House. It has three bedrooms and two bathrooms. There's a beautiful park next door.



Lake View \$900/month

This house is on a quiet street next to a lake. It has two bedrooms and a big kitchen in the basement. It also has a beautiful yard, but there is no garage.



Stone Hill \$1,500/month

This house is in the old part of Bridgewater. It has four bedrooms and a bathroom with a bathtub and a shower. It also has a big kitchen. All the furniture is new and stylish.

28.6 KEY LANGUAGE "HAVE" NEGATIVES

Although "have" is irregular, its negative is formed in the usual way. The negative form can also be contracted as with other verbs.



I have a bathtub.

I { do not } have a bathtub.

"Do not" can be shortened to "don't."

Jim has a bathtub.

Jim { does not } have a bathtub.

"Does not" can be shortened to "doesn't."

Always use "have" instead of "has" in the negative.



28.7 WRITE EACH SENTENCE IN ITS OTHER NEGATIVE FORM

I do not have a car.

I don't have a car.

1 Kahleh doesn't have a dog.

2 You do not have a microwave.

3 Greendale doesn't have a church.

4 Alyssa and Logan do not have a garage.

5 We don't have a yard.



28.8 USE THE CHART TO CREATE 11 CORRECT SENTENCES AND SAY THEM OUT LOUD

I have a couch.

I
We
She

have
has
doesn't have

a
some

couch.
chairs.
dining room.

Start with a pronoun.

Choose the correct form of the verb.

Choose an article or determiner.

Finish with a noun.



28.9 ANOTHER WAY TO SAY "HAVE"

Some English speakers, especially in the UK, use "have got" instead of "have." It means the same thing.

We **{ have
have got }** a dog.

The only difference is the word "got."



28.10 HOW TO FORM "HAVE GOT"

POSITIVE

I **have got** a dog.



I've **got** a dog.

Only use this form when using "have" with "got." Don't shorten "I have" to "I've a dog."

NEGATIVE

He **has not got** a dog.



He **hasn't got** a dog.

"Has not got" can be shortened to "hasn't got."



28.11 WRITE EACH SENTENCE IN ITS OTHER TWO FORMS

She **has** a computer.

She has got a computer.

She's got a computer.

1 They **don't have** a couch.

They don't have got a couch.

They haven't got a couch.

2 He **has** three sisters.

He has got three sisters.

He's got three sisters.

3 You **don't have** a bike.

You don't have got a bike.

You haven't got a bike.

4 We **have** a microwave.

We have got a microwave.

We're got a microwave.

5 It **has** a bathtub.

It has got a bathtub.

It's got a bathtub.

6 They **have** a cat.

They have got a cat.

They're got a cat.

28 CHECKLIST

Using "have"

Household objects

Talking about possessions