

# HAVE GOT or HAVE??



**HAVE GOT** e **HAVE**: significado semelhante; ambos podem ser usados para falar de posse (possession), relacionamentos (relationships), doenças (illnesses) e características (characteristics) das pessoas ou coisas. Mas...

... **HAVE** é usado no registro mais formal e **HAVE GOT** no registro mais informal.  
Gramaticalmente:

- **HAVE**: precisamos de usar o verbo auxiliar (auxiliary verb) **DO** em frases negativas (negative sentences) ou em perguntas (questions);
- **HAVE GOT**: não usamos o verbo **DO**.

➤ They **haven't got** a car. (Informal)

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They **don't have** a car. (Formal)

➤ How many brothers **have** you **got**? (Informal)

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How many brothers **do** you **have**? (Formal)

## II- Expressões (collocations) com apenas o verbo **HAVE**:

- **have a baby...**
- **have + an illness (a headache...)/ have a surgery...**
- **have an appointment / interview**
- **have a conversation / talk ...**
- **have an argument / a fight**
- **have a party/ have a holiday**
- **have a good time/ have a blast...**

- **have + meal (lunch...)/ a drink (coffee...)**
- **have a shower...**
- **have + an activity (a swim/ jog...)**
- **have a haircut...**
- **have a break/ have a nap...**
- **have a dream**



Let's practise!

I. Choose the most suitable option.

- a) I **haven't** / **have got** a brother.
- b) She **has got** / **has** blonde hair.
- c) They **don't have** / **have got** a cold.
- d) **Does she have** / **Has she got** freckles? Yes, she **has** / **does** .
- e) My brother **has** / **has got** a swim every morning.
- f) We usually **have got** / **have** dinner at 7 o'clock.
- g) I **have** / **have got** a shower every evening.
- h) We always **have** / **have got** lots of fun in the park.
- i) The kids never **have got** / **have** milk at breakfast.
- j) What **have you** / **do you have** for tea?
- k) I **am having** / **have got** a job interview this week.
- l) I think that you should **have** / **have got** a shave.
- m) You look so tired! Why **haven't you got** / **don't you have** a rest?

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