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| **Case** | **Function** | 1st Declension | 2nd Declension | 3rd Declension |
| Singular | Plural | Singular | Plural | Singular | Plural |
| Vocative | Direct Address | **Same as nominative** | **-e** | **Same as nominative** | **Same as nominative** |
| Nominative | Subject/Predicate Noun | **-a**  | **-ae** | **-us****-r (vir, puer)****-um (neuter)** | **-ī****-a (neuter)** | **-is (Thāis, tigris)****-x (dux)****-er (māter, pater)** | **- ēs** |
| Genitive | Possessive | **-ae** | **-ārum** | **-ī** | **-ōrum** | **-is****(tigris)** |  |
| Dative | Indirect Object | **-ae** | **-īs** | **-ō** | **-īs** | **-ī****(mātrī)** | **-ibus** |
| Accusative | Direct Object/ Object of the Preposition(certain prepositions) | **-am** | **-ās** | **-um****-um (neuter)** | **-ōs****-a (neuter)** | **-em** | **-ēs** |
| Ablative | Instrumental; Object of the Preposition (certain prepositions) | **-ā** | **-īs** | **-ō** | **-īs** | **-e** | **-ibus** |

**Endings of Nouns and Adjectives**