

Review 2.1: Basic uses of the cases

NOMINATIVE

Subject of a conjugated verb (including adjectives and appositives that modify the subject). If the verb is an *infinitive*, the subject will be most often in the Accusative.

Predicate Nominative, which may be a noun, an adjective, or other parts of speech. If they have case, they are in the Nominative. Most often a **PN** is found in a clause with a linking verb, but there may be **PN's** modifying a subject in other clauses or constructions.

Examples:

αἱ κόραι ἦσαν καλαί.

The girls were beautiful.

οἱ νεανίαι γενήσονται σοφοί.

The young men will become wise.

Παῦλος, ὁ ἀποστολος τοῦ Ἰησοῦ, ἔλεγε τάδε.

Paul, the apostle of Jesus, said the following.