## Latin Noun Declension File Folder Game With Picture Cues

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There are at least four rival ways to pronounce Latin. The pronunciations in Classical Latin differ from those in Ecclesiastical Latin, which differ from those used in science. Just as there are several dialects of the English language, regional variations in Latin have existed. Because of the ever-changing nature of language, we're taking the advice of a seasoned Latin instructor: "Just choose a pronunciation and stick with it." This pronunciation guide is based primarily upon the Roman System, which can be found in the Appendix of Henle Latin under "Pronunciation."

#### **Classical Pronunciation Guide for Declensions**

Vowels & Diphthongs	Pronunciation
b,d,f,h,k,l,m,n,p,qu,r, t,x	as in English
s	/s/ as in sit (not z as in rose)
ā	/ä/ as in father
a	/ə/ as in idea
ē	/ey/ as in obey
е	/ĕ/ as in net
Ī	/ē/ as in gasoline
i	/ĭ/ as in pit
ō	/ō/ as in note
o	/ŏ/ as in off
ū	/ōō/ as in ruler
u	/oo/ as in foot
ae	/ī/ as in fly

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#### 1st Declension Latin Noun Cases Cue: Index finger points up as I have the idea to play Skip to my Lou with friends Tune: "Skip to My Lou," starts /ŭ/ Plural Singular Subject **Nominative** -ae -a Genitive **Possessive** -ārum -ae 100 Indirect **Dative** -īs -ae **Object Direct** Accusative -ās -am Object Object of the **Ablative** -ā -īs Preposition

### 2nd Declension

Cue: My pet platypus slid on 2 webbed feet down the snowy hill.

Tune: "Dashing through the Snow" starts /oos/.

### 3rd Declension

Cue: I have 3 various breeds of dogs
Tune: "B-I-N-G-O" starts "various"

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-um	-ōs	-em	-ēs
-ō	-īs ↔	- <b>e</b>	-ibus

#### 4th Declension

Cue: Lou the Octopus danced with 4 tentacles above her head

Tune: "Here We Go Looby Loo" starts /oos/.

#### 5th Declension

Cue: High Five! I aced my test. Let's see what's next!

Tune: "A Sailor Went to Sea" starts /ās/

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-um	-Ūs	-em	- <b>e</b> s
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Latin Noun Cases		1st Declension	
		Singular	Plural

# 3rd Declension 2nd Declension Plural **Plural** Singular Singular

# 4th Declension 5th Declension Plural **Plural** Singular Singular