

LATIN CASES

illustrated with First Declension Nouns and carefully drawn cartoons
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1. BESTIA in the nominative: subject of verb.



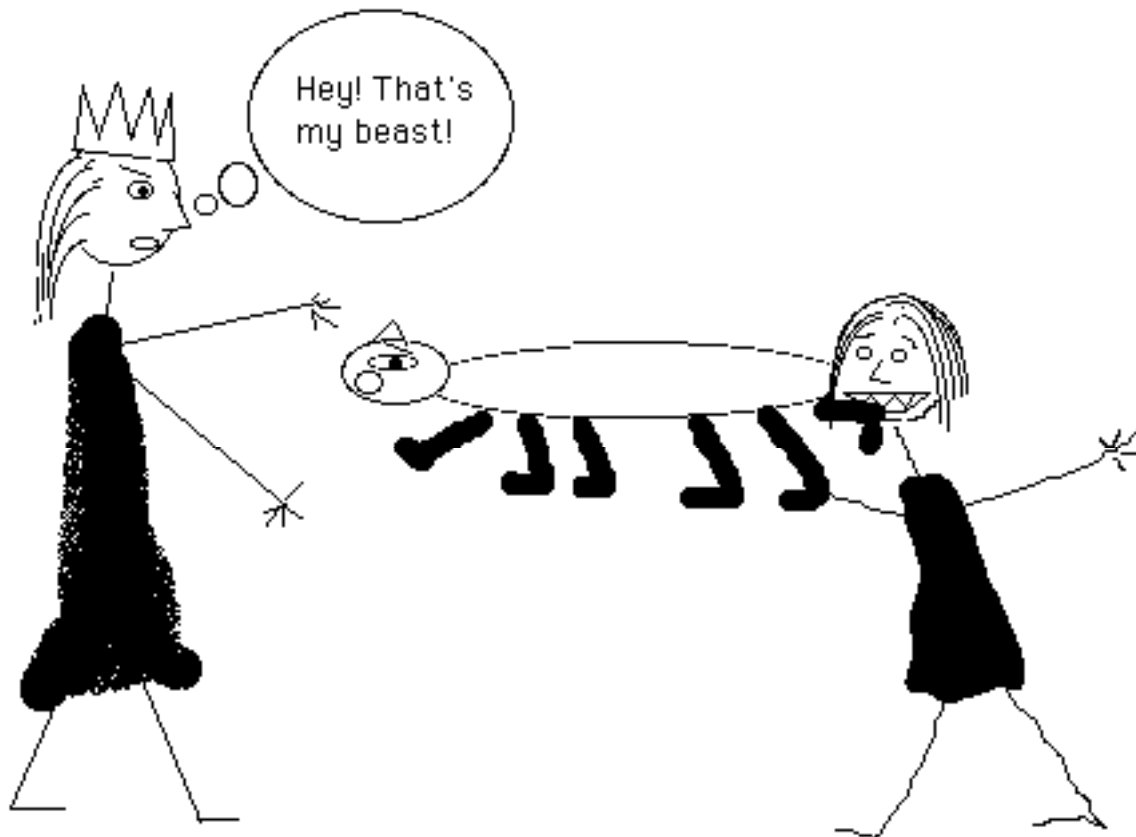
Puellam mordet bestia.

2. BESTIAM in the accusative: direct object of verb (i.e. receives the action).



Puella bestiam mordet.

3. REGINAE in the genitive: marks possession of another noun:



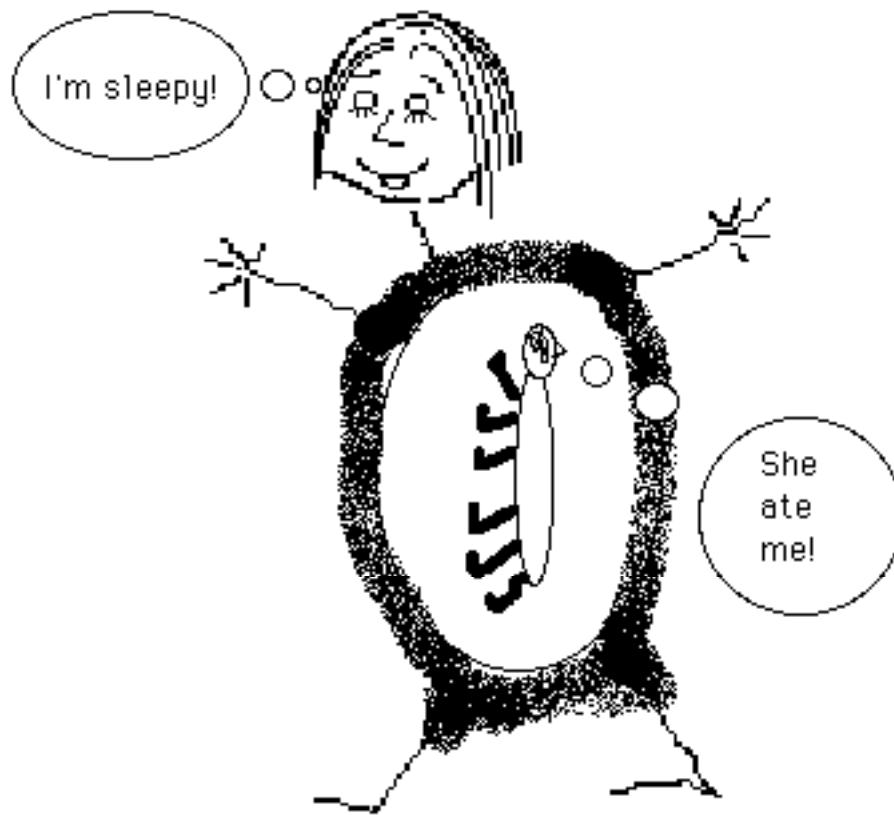
Puella bestiam rēgīnae mordet.

4. PUELLAE in the dative: marks the indirect object (who receives a direct object):



Rēgīna bestiam puellae dat.

5. PUELLĀ in the ablative: marks the object of a preposition.



Bestia in puellā est.