3rd Declension Noun Endings (M/F only)
Capitulum 9

3rd Declension Nouns come to us in this "_____". It just means that they decline according to the 3rd declension _____ NOT the 1st and 2nd declension endings. As always 3rd's are special in Latin and can be tricky if you don't know the guidelines/ rules.

To determine GENDER:
3rd Declension Masculine and Feminine endings are the same! How do we figure it out
      1. Look at the gender of the _____ that is modifying the 3rd. Decl Noun.
      2. _____ - if the noun begins with these letters, then it's more than likely
          Feminine. **This is only a general guideline, not a rule!**

To determine -ium or -um (Gen, PL):
Latin will use _____ when…
      1. The Nom, Sg ends with _____
      2. The Nom, Sg is a one syllable word and ends in _____or a _____.
All other nouns will use _____.

	Masc/ Fem SG	Masc/ Fem PL
Nominative		
Accusative		
Genitive		
Dative		
Ablative		

3rd Declension Noun Endings (M/F only)
Capitulum 9- Key

3rd Declension Nouns come to us in this "family". It just means that they decline according to the 3rd declension endings NOT the 1st and 2nd declension endings. As always 3rd's are special in Latin and can be tricky if you don't know the guidelines/ rules.

To determine GENDER:
3rd Declension Masculine and Feminine endings are the same! How do we figure it out?

 1. Look at the gender of the adjective that is modifying the 3rd. Decl Noun.
 2. AVON - if the noun begins with these letters, then it's more than likely Feminine.
  This is only a general guideline, not a rule!

To determine -ium or -um (Gen, PL):
Latin will use -ium when…

 1. The Nom, Sg ends with -is
 2. The Nom, Sg is a one syllable word and ends in -s or a double consonant
All other nouns will use -um

	Masc/ Fem SG	Masc/ Fem PL
Nominative	*-any-*	*-ēs*
Accusative	*-em*	*-ēs*
Genitive	*-is*	*-(i)um*
Dative	*-ī*	*-ibus*
Ablative	*-e*	*-ibus*

3rd Declension Noun Endings (M/F/N)
Capitulum 10 & 11

3rd Declension Neuter Nouns come to us in this _____ and with their _____ .

3rd Declension Neuter Nouns are tricky because they almost always have a _____
    which MUST BE MEMORIZED!!

    Exempla:
    -Cap. 10 unum flumen, duo _____

    -Cap. 11 unum corpus, duo _____; unum crūs, duo _____;
        unum caput, duo _____

3rd Declension Noun Endings

	Masc/ Fem SG	Masc/ Fem PL	Neuter SG	Neuter PL	8-i'd Neuter SG	8-i'd Neuter PL
Nom						
Acc						
Gen						
Dat						
Abl						

<u>**3rd Declension Noun Endings (M/F/N)**</u>
<u>**Capitulum 10 & 11 - KEY**</u>

-3rd Declension Neuter Nouns come to us in this <u>declension</u> and with their <u>gender</u>.

-3rd Declension Neuter Nouns are tricky because they almost always have a <u>stem changes</u> which
MUST BE MEMORIZED!!

    Exempla:
<u>   </u>-Cap. 10 unum flumen, duo <u>*flumina*</u>

    -Cap. 11 unum corpus, duo <u>*corpora*</u>; unum crūs, duo <u>*crura*</u>; unum caput, duo <u>*capita*</u>

<u>3rd Declension Noun Endings</u>

	Masc/ Fem SG	Masc/ Fem PL	Neuter SG	Neuter PL	8-i'd Neuter SG	8-i'd Neuter PL
Nom	*-any-*	*-ēs*	*-any-*	*-a*	*-any-*	*-ia*
Acc	*-em*	*-ēs*	*-any-*	*-a*	*-any-*	*-ia*
Gen	*-is*	*-(i)um*	*-is*	*-um*	*-is*	*-ium*
Dat	*-ī*	*-ibus*	*-ī*	*-ibus*	*-ī*	*-ibus*
Abl	*-e*	*-ibus*	*-e*	*-ibus*	*-ī*	*-ibus*

Meet the 8-i'd Monsters!!

3rd Declension Neuter 8-i'd Monster Noun Endings

LET'S COUNT THE "I's" !!

	Neuter SG	Neuter PL
Nom		
Acc		
Gen		
Dat		
Abl		

Meet the 8-i'd Monsters!!

3rd Declension Neuter 8-i'd Monster Noun Endings

LET'S COUNT THE "I's" !!

	Neuter SG	Neuter PL
Nom	*-any-*	*-ia*
Acc	*-any-*	*-ia*
Gen	*-is*	*-ium*
Dat	*-ī*	*-ibus*
Abl	*-ī*	*-ibus*