

## VI. Cases of Nouns and Pronouns

There are three cases:

1. Nominative
2. Objective
3. Possessive

A noun is said to be in the **nominative case** when:

1. it is the **subject**
2. it is the **predicate nominative**
3. it is a **noun in apposition** with either of the above
4. it is a **noun of direct address**

A noun is said to be in the **objective case** when:

1. it is the **direct object**
2. it is the **indirect object**
3. it is the **object of a preposition**
4. it is a **noun in apposition** with any of the above

A noun is said to be in the **possessive case** when it shows ownership of a thing or a direct relationship to a person or a thing.