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Ms. Kane-All Periods Second Declension Masculine Nouns Notes

Forming Nouns:

* What is your formula?
  + base plus endings
* How do you find the base?
  + Genitive singular minus ending
* Where can you find the genitive?
  + Second word in dictionary entry

Second Declension Masculine Nouns:

* Mostly end in "us
* Some end in "er"

Second Declension Masculine Endings

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|  | Singular | Plural |
| Nominative | -er/us | -i |
| Genitive | -i | -orum |
| Dative | -o | -is |
| Accusative | -um | -os |
| Ablative | -ō | -is |
| Vocative | -er/e | -i |

Practice: Decline *amicus magnus*

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|  | Singular | Plural |
| Nominative | amicus magnus | amici magni |
| Genitive | amici magni | amicorum magnorum |
| Dative | amico magno | amicis magnis |
| Accusative | amicum magnum | amicos magnos |
| Ablative | amicō magnō | amicis magnis |
| Vocative | amice magne | amici magni |

Masculines in "er" (The Vocative will be the same as the nominative)

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|  | Singular | Plural |
| Nominative | puer | pueri |
| Genitive | pueri | puerorum |
| Dative | puero | pueris |
| Accusative | puerum | pueros |
| Ablative | puerō | pueris |
| Vocative | puer | pueri |