

الإِسْتِثْنَاءُ --- (Exception)

It's kinds and their إعراب (i.e. declension)

The Istithna has three elements:

- a) **المُسْتَثْنَى** – it is the thing that is excepted.
- b) **المُسْتَثْنَى مِنْهُ** – it is the thing from which exception is made.
- c) **أَدَاةُ الإِسْتِثْنَاءِ** – it is the tool of exception which are:

- إِلَّا** – a particle (حَرْفٌ)
- سِوَى** and **غَيْرُ** – these two are nouns.
- مَاعِدَا** and **مَآخِلَا** – these two are verbs.

Most common of these is **إِلَّا**.

