

M-P Participles

Present (same time as main verb) /Future (purpose)

- Menelaos went to Troy to ransom Helen.
 - λυσόμενος
- Agamemnon dishonors the priest [who is] ransoming his daughter.
 - λύομενον
- The Achaeans' response is pleasing to the priest [who is] ransoming his daughter.
 - λυομένω
- The priest, praying to Apollo, brought the plague to the Achaeans.
 - ἀραόμενος
- Zeus sees Thetis (as she is) praying.
 - ἀραομένην
- Zeus hearkened to Thetis (as she was) praying.
 - ἀραομένης
- **Aorist**—usually time prior (or just simple action)
 - Having prayed to Apollo, the priest went home. (ἀράομαι)
 - ἀρησάμενος
 - The Olympian gods are honored by the priest who ransomed his daughter.
 - λυσαμένω

III Genitive Absolute (any voice) (see §1111)

- **Because the priest prayed to Apollo, the Achaeans suffered.**
 - = With the priest having prayed (gen) to Apollo, the Achaeans suffered.
 - ἀρητῆρος ἀρησαμένου
- **Because Apollo was shooting arrows at the camp, many animals died of the plague.**
 - = With Apollo shooting (gen.) arrows at the camp, many animals died of the plague.
 - Ἀπόλλωνος βάλλοντος