

## ORIGINAL UNMARKED WORD ORDER IN A CORNISH SENTENCE

**FRONT + PAR + VERB + SUB + COMP / OB + CODA**

*If **gwil**, **mydnas**, **gallos** or **godhvos** is used as auxiliary verb, the unmarked word order becomes:*

**FRONT + PAR + VERB + SUB + VN + OB + CODA**

*If **bos** is used periphrastically, the unmarked word order is:*

**FRONT + PAR + VERB + SUB + PRES-PA + OB + CODA**

CODA	ADVERBIAL CODA
COMP	COMPLEMENT
FRONT	FRONTING SLOT – SUB, COMP / OB or elements of CODA may be moved into it No fronting allowed in interrogatives or sub-clauses
OB	OBJECT – indirect object noun usually follows direct object, indirect object pronoun usually precedes direct object
PAR	PARTICLE (with mutation), in some circumstances omitted (but mutation remains)
PRES-PA	so called PRESENT PARTICIPLE
SUB	SUBJECT
VERB	INFLECTED VERB
VN	VERB-NOUN

*The unmarked word order in CODA is:*

**PLACE + MANNER + TIME**

but clauses are postponed to the end