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Module 14	Graphing Quadratic Relations			
Lesson 1	Graphing Simple Quadratic Relations			

Find the equation of the axis of symmetry.

1. $y = x^2 + 4x + 1$ x = -2
3. $y = -4x^2 + 8x - 2$ x = 1
5. $y = 3x^2 - 9x + 2$ $\frac{x = 1\frac{1}{2}}{2}$

2. $y = x^{2} - 2x - 3$ x = 14. $y = 2x^{2} - 12x + 7$ x = 36. $y = 5x^{2} - 2$ x = 0

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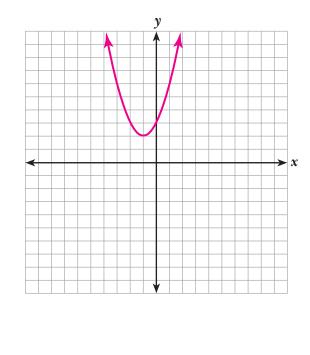
Identify the vertex.

7. $y = x^2 - 6x - 9$ (3, -18)
9. $y = 2x^2 - 8x + 7$ (2, -1)
11. $y = -x^2 - 2x$ (-1, 1)

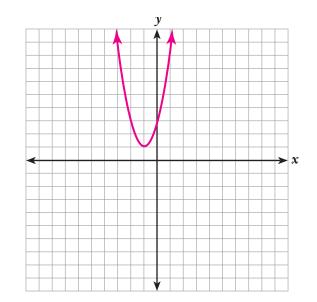
8. $y = -3x^2 + 6x + 2$ (1, 5) 10. $y = 2x^2 + 4$ (0, 4) 12. $y = x^2 + x + 1$ $(-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{4})$

Graph.

13.	<i>y</i> =	x ²	+	2x	+	3
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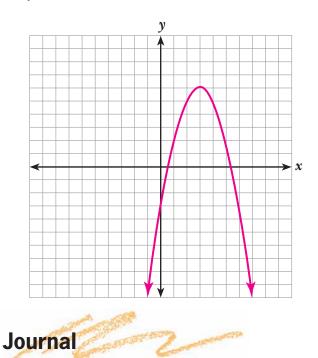


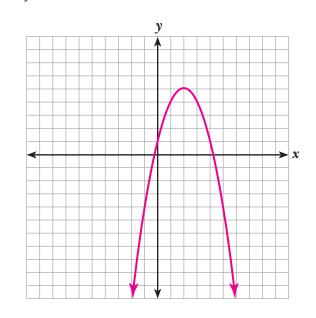
14. $y = 2x^2 + 4x + 3$



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16. $y = -x^2 + 4x + 1$





- **2.** Joe says that the axis of symmetry of $y = 3x^2 6x + 2$ is x = -1, but Jenny says that it is x = 1. Who is correct and why?
- **3.** Explain how to find the vertex of $y = 3x^2 6x + 2$.
- **4.** Explain how to graph the equation $y = 3x^2 6x + 2$.
- **5.** Explain in words as many properties of the graph of $y = 3x^2 6x + 2$ as you can.

Cumulative Review

Solve the equations by evaluating square roots, factoring, completing the square, or using the quadratic formula.

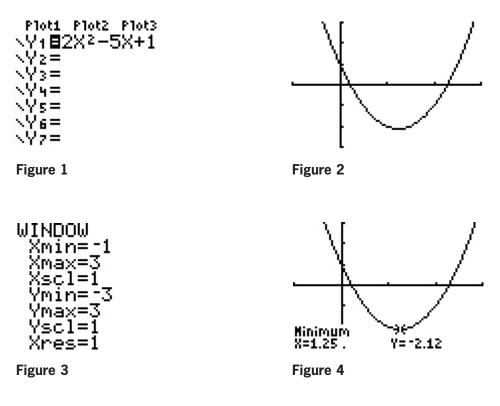
1.
$$x^{2} + 3x - 4 = 0$$
 x = -4 or 1
3. $x^{2} + 4x = 12$ x = -6 or 2
5. $3x^{2} - 5x - 2 = 0$ x = 2 or $-\frac{1}{3}$

2. $x^{2} = 12$ $x = 2\sqrt{3} \text{ or } -2\sqrt{3}$ 4. $2x^{2} - x - 3 = 0$ x = 1.5 or -16. $2x^{2} + x - 4 = 0$ $x = \frac{-1 + \sqrt{33}}{4} \text{ or } \frac{-1 - \sqrt{33}}{4}$

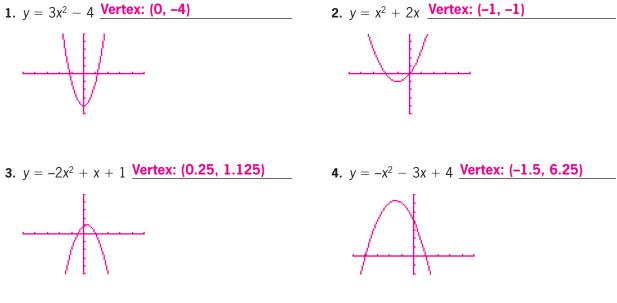
Calculator Problem

Consider the equation $y = 2x^2 - 5x + 1$.

- **1.** Press \mathbb{Y} and enter $2x^2 5x + 1$ into \mathbf{Y}_1 =. See Figure 1.
- 2. Press GRAPH. See Figure 2. (You may want to set your window measurements as in Figure 3.)
- 3. From the CALC menu, select 3:minimum. Left Bound? will appear in the lower left hand corner of the screen. Use the arrow keys to move the cursor to the left of what appears to be the vertex, press ENTER. Right Bound? will appear in the lower left hand corner of the screen. Use the arrow keys to move the cursor to the right of what appears to be the vertex; press ENTER. Guess? will appear in the lower left hand corner of the screen; press ENTER. See Figure 4. The x and y values of the minimum point of the graph are in the lower left hand corner of the screen. These values are the x- and y-coordinates of the vertex.
- **4.** The axis of symmetry is determined by the equation $x = -\frac{b}{2a}$. The axis of symmetry also may be determined by the x-coordinate of the vertex. $x = -\frac{b}{2a} = -\frac{-5}{2 \cdot 2} = \frac{5}{4} = 1.25$. The value given by the equation and x-coordinate of the vertex correspond.



Graph the equations and determine the *x*- and *y*-coordinates of the vertex.



Possible Journal Answers

- 1. The axis of symmetry is the line that separates a graph into two matching halves. If you were to fold the paper on that line, both sides would match.
- 2. Jenny is correct. She used the formula $x = -\frac{b}{2a}$. Joe forgot to take the opposite of b before dividing by 2a.
- 3. After finding the equation for the axis of symmetry x = 1, substitute x = 1 into the equation $y = 3x^2 6x + 2$. So, $y = 3(1)^2 6(1) + 2$; therefore, y = 3 6 + 2, or y = -1. The vertex is (1, -1).
- 4. Find the vertex (1, -1). Graph this point in the coordinate plane (start at the origin, move one unit right and one unit down, and put a dot). Then, choose other x-coordinates and substitute them into the equation to find the corresponding y-coordinates. For example, if x = 0, then y = 2. If x = -1, then y = 11. Using the axis of symmetry and these points, draw the parabola on the coordinate plane.
- 5. The shape of the graph is a parabola. The axis of symmetry is x = 1. The vertex is (1, -1). It is skinnier than the graph of $y = x^2$. It opens up.