

Today: Lots of notes

201 @ 202

Th: Gr8 Camp (Th/Fri)
Gr10 Conference (Th/Fri)
work time

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Tu: Go over test @ 201/202

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Th: Quiz 201/202

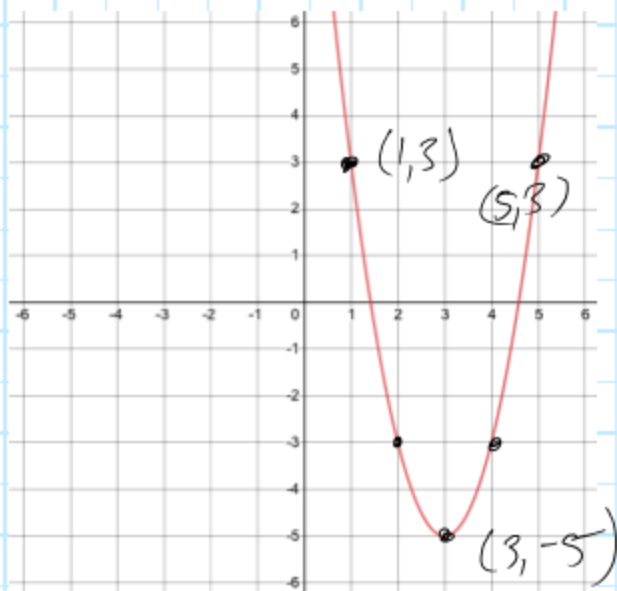
2.1) Finding Equations of Quadratics

If you are given information about a quadratic, use standard form to find equation

$$f(x) = a(x-h)^2 + k$$

Vertex:
(h, k)

To get 'a', we need one other point



Ex 1 Find equation

① vertex $(3, -5)$

$$f(x) = a(x-3)^2 - 5$$

② other point $(1, 3)$

$$f(1) = 3 = a(1-3)^2 - 5$$

$$3 = a(-2)^2 - 5$$

$$3 = 4a - 5$$

$$8 = 4a \quad \text{!!!} \quad \underline{a=2}$$

$$f(x) = 2(x-3)^2 - 5$$

Ex 2 A parabola has a minimum at $(-4, -5)$ and goes through $(2, 7)$ $a > 0$

vertex

① vertex $(-4, -5)$

$$f(x) = a(x - (-4))^2 - 5$$
$$= a(x+4)^2 - 5$$

② other point $(2, 7)$

$$f(2) = 7 = a(2+4)^2 - 5$$

$$7 = 36a - 5$$

$$12 = 36a$$

$$\frac{12}{36} = a = \frac{1}{3}$$

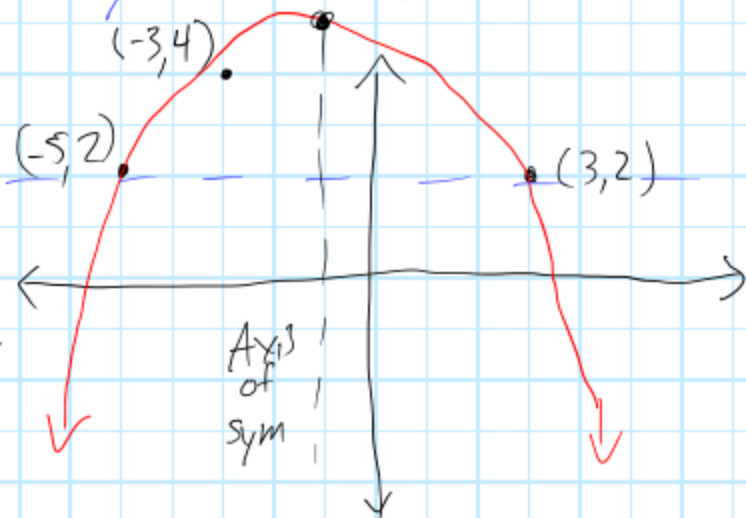
$$f(x) = \frac{1}{3}(x+4)^2 - 5$$

Ex 3

A parabola passes through $(-5, 2)$, $(3, 2)$, $(-3, 4)$.

Find the equation.

If you don't have the vertex, draw a picture



Down $a < 0$

① Axis of Symmetry

Middle of
 $(-5, 2)$ and $(3, 2)$

$$= \frac{-5 + 3}{2} = \frac{-2}{2}$$

$$f(x) = a(x+1)^2 + k \quad \underline{x = -1}$$

② Sub in a mirror point

$$f(3) = 2 = a(3+1)^2 + k$$

$$2 = 16a + k$$

$$\textcircled{i} \quad \underline{2 - 16a = k}$$

③ Sub in another point (Not mirror point)

$$(-3, 4) \quad f(-3) = 4 = a(-3+1)^2 + k$$

$$4 = 4a + k$$

ii) $4 - 4a = k$

④ Solve both i) and ii)

i) $2 - 16a = k$

ii) $4 - 4a = k$

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$$2 - 16a = 4 - 4a$$

$$2 = 4 + 12a$$

$$-2 = 12a$$

$$\underline{\underline{\frac{-2}{12} = a = -\frac{1}{6}}}$$

$$i) \Rightarrow 2 - 16\left(-\frac{1}{6}\right) = k$$

$$2 + \frac{16}{6} = k$$

$$2 + \frac{8}{3} = k$$

$$\frac{6}{3} + \frac{8}{3} = k = \frac{14}{3}$$

$$f(x) = -\frac{1}{6}(x+1)^2 + \frac{14}{3}$$

2.2) General to Standard form

Standard to general is easy.

$$f(x) = 3(x-4)^2 - 2 \Rightarrow \text{expand}$$

$$= 3(x-4)(x-4) - 2$$

Perfect
Square

$$\begin{aligned} &= 3(x-4)(x-4) - 2 && \text{Perfect Square} \\ &= 3(x^2 - 8x + 16) - 2 \\ &= 3x^2 - 12x - 12x + 48 - 2 \\ &= 3x^2 - 24x + 46 \quad \checkmark \quad \text{!!} \end{aligned}$$

Backwards is harder...

We need to make a perfect square in our quadratic (Completing the Square)

Ex1 Find k so our quadratic contains a perfect square

$$a) x^2 - 18x + k$$

$$\sqrt{\text{1st}} = \sqrt{x^2} = x$$

$$\sqrt{\text{last}} = \sqrt{k}$$

$$\text{Middle: } \pm 2(x)(\sqrt{k}) = \ominus 18x$$

$$-2 \sqrt{k} = -18$$

$$(\sqrt{k})^2 = +9^2$$

$$k = 81$$

$$x^2 \ominus 18x + 81 \\ = (x \ominus 9)^2$$

$$b) -2x^2 - 12x + k$$

$$-2 \left(x^2 + 6x + \frac{k}{-2} \right)$$

$$\sqrt{\text{1st}} = \sqrt{x^2} = x$$

$$\sqrt{\text{last}} = \sqrt{\frac{k}{-2}}$$

$$\text{Middle: } \pm 2(x)(\sqrt{\frac{k}{-2}}) = \oplus 6x$$

$$2 \sqrt{\frac{k}{-2}} = 6$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{k}{-2}} = 3$$

$$\frac{k}{-2} = 9$$

$$k = -18$$

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$$\begin{aligned} & -2 \left(x^2 + 6x + \frac{-18}{-2} \right) \\ & = -2(x^2 + 6x + 9) \\ & = -2(x+3)^2 \end{aligned}$$

Ex 2 Complete the Square to Convert to general form

$$a) f(x) = [x^2 - 10x] + \underline{22} \leftarrow \text{ignore}$$

$$= \underline{[x^2 - 10x + k] - k} + 22$$

$$\sqrt{1st} = \sqrt{x^2} = x$$

$$\sqrt{last} = \sqrt{k}$$

Middle: $\pm 2(x)(\sqrt{k}) = \ominus 10x$

$$+ 2 \sqrt{k} = +10 \div 2$$

$$(\sqrt{k})^2 = 5^2$$

$$k = 25$$

Short Cut

$$(\text{middle} \div 2)^2$$

$$= (-10 \div 2)^2$$

$$= (-5)^2$$

$$= \underline{25}$$

$$f(x) = \left[(x^2 \ominus 10x + 25) - 25 \right] + 22$$

$$= \left[(x - 5)^2 - 25 \right] + 22$$

$$= (x-5)^2 - 3$$

Vertex:
 $(5, -3)$

x-ints: $(x-5)^2 - 3 = 0$

$$(x-5)^2 = 3$$

$$x-5 = \pm\sqrt{3}$$

$$x = 5 \pm \sqrt{3}$$

$$(5 + \sqrt{3}, 0)$$

$$(5 - \sqrt{3}, 0)$$

↑
Hard to get
from factoring

b) $f(x) = [-2x^2 - 3x] - 3$ ← ignore

$$= -2 \left[x^2 + \frac{3}{2}x \right] - 3$$

$$= -2 \left[\left(x^2 + \frac{3}{2}x + k \right) - k \right] - 3$$

Shortcut: middle $\div 2$

$$\frac{3}{2} \div 2 = \frac{3}{2} \times \frac{1}{2}$$

$$= \frac{3}{4}$$

$$k = (\text{middle} \div 2)^2 = \left(\frac{3}{4} \right)^2 = \frac{9}{16}$$

$$= -2 \left[\left(x^2 + \frac{3}{2}x + \frac{9}{16} \right) - \frac{9}{16} \right] - 3$$

$$= -2 \left[\left(x + \frac{3}{4} \right)^2 - \frac{9}{16} \right] - 3$$

$$= -2 \left(x + \frac{3}{4} \right)^2 + \frac{9}{8} - 3$$

$$= -2 \left(x + \frac{3}{4} \right)^2 + \frac{9}{8} - \frac{24}{8}$$

$$= \boxed{-2 \left(x + \frac{3}{4} \right)^2 - \frac{15}{8}} \quad \checkmark$$