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Practise: Functions of the Form $y = (x - h)^2$

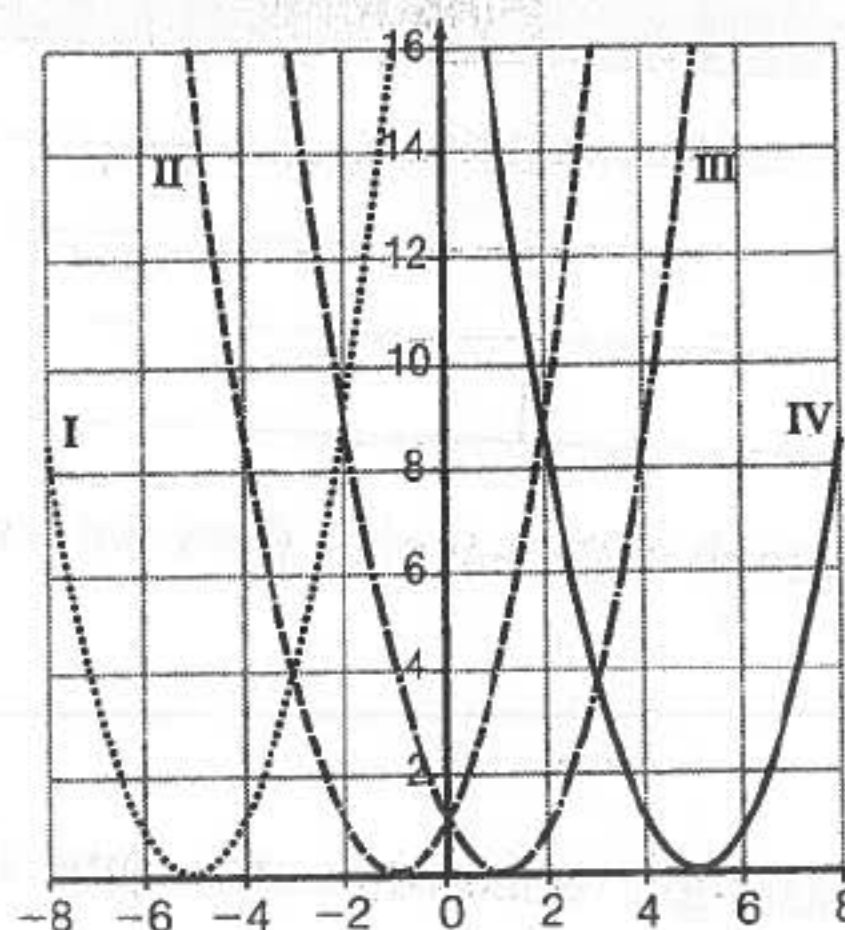
1. Indicate the curve that corresponds to each quadratic function.

a) $y = (x + 5)^2$ I

b) $y = (x - 5)^2$ IV

c) $y = (x - 1)^2$ III

d) $y = (x + 1)^2$ II

**Section 8.4****Hint**

For a horizontal translation, the slide is opposite to the sign in the bracket.

2. For the graph of $y = (x - 8)^2$,

a) give the co-ordinates of the vertex

(8, 0)

b) find the x-intercept

8

c) describe the direction of opening

up

d) describe its shape relative to the graph of $y = x^2$

SAME SIZE

3. Place a check mark in each row to complete this table comparing the graphs of $y = x^2 + 9$ and $y = (x + 9)^2$.

vertex $(-9, 0)$

Feature	Same	Different
Direction of opening	✓	
Vertex		✓
x-intercept		✓
y-intercept		✓
Shape relative to $y = x^2$	✓	

→ to find the x-intercepts
 $y = 0$

continued

~~$y = x^2 + 9$~~
 $y = (x - 0)^2 + 9$
vertex $(0, 9)$

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4. a) Complete this table.

Equation	Vertex	y-intercept	x-intercepts
$y = (x + 9)^2$	$(-9, 0)$	81	-9
$y = (x - 9)^2$	$(9, 0)$	81	+9
$y = x^2 - 9$	$(0, -9)$	-9	3
$y = x^2 + 9$	$(0, 9)$	9	

$$y = (x - 0)^2 - 0$$

b) Explain why the graph of $y = x^2 + 9$ does not have any x-intercepts.

Graphs
square
roots
not exist

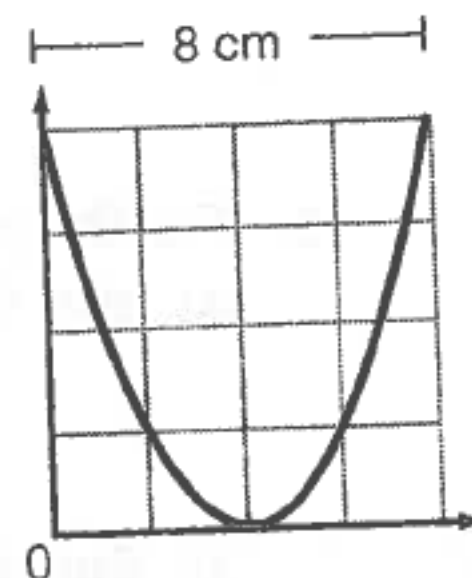
$$0 = x^2 + 9 - 9$$

$$-9 = x^2$$

5. This drawing of a flashlight reflector has the same shape as the graph of $y = x^2$.

a) Find the co-ordinates of the vertex of the reflector.

b) Write the equation for the parabola in the drawing.



6. Write a quadratic function whose graph is a translation

a) 14 units to the left of the graph of $y = x^2$ b) 10 units to the right of the graph of $y = (x + 1)^2$

Hint

Picture where the vertex of the original graph is, then slide it the required distance.



5. This drawing of a flashlight reflector has the same shape as the graph of $y = x^2$.

a) Find the co-ordinates of the vertex of the reflector.

$$(4, 0)$$

b) Write the equation for the parabola in the drawing.

$$y = (x - 4)^2 + 0$$

6. Write a quadratic function whose graph is a translation

a) 14 units to the left of the graph of $y = x^2$

$$y = (x + 14)^2$$

b) 10 units to the right of the graph of $y = (x + 1)^2$

$$y = (x - 9)^2$$

7. Draw a line from each description to the corresponding equation.

a) the graph of $y = x^2$ translated down 4 units

$$y = x^2 - 4$$

b) the graph of $y = x^2$ stretched vertically by a factor of 4

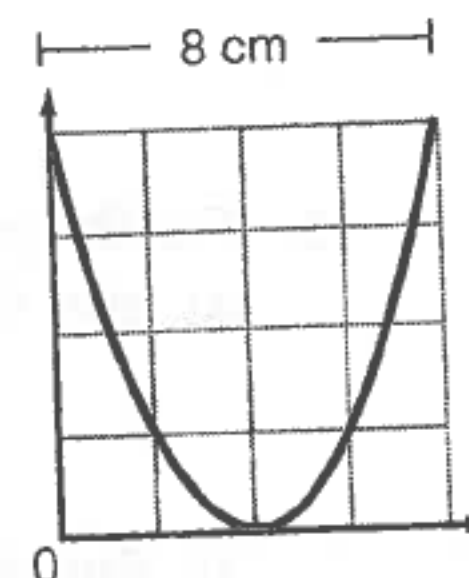
$$y = 4x^2$$

c) the graph of $y = x^2$ translated right 4 units

$$y = (x - 4)^2$$

d) the graph of $y = (x + 4)^2$ translated right 4 units.

$$y = x^2$$



Hint

Picture where the vertex of the original graph is, then slide it the required distance.

$$y = (x + 4)^2$$

$$y = (x - 4)^2$$

$$y = (x + 8)^2$$

$$y = x^2 + 4$$

$$y = x^2 - 4$$

$$y = x^2$$

$$y = 4x^2$$



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Practise: Functions of the Form $y = a(x - h)^2 + k$ Section
8.5

1. Complete this table listing how the values of a , h , and k make the graph of the quadratic function $y = a(x - h)^2 + k$ different from the graph of $y = x^2$.

Transformation	Controlled by a , h , or k ?
Translation up	k
Vertical compression	a
Translation right	h
Translation left	h
Vertical stretch	a
Translation down	k
Reflection in the x -axis	negative after equal (frown)

2. Complete this table.

Equation	Vertex	Direction of Opening	Shape Relative to Graph of $y = x^2$
$y = -5(x + 7)^2 - 8$	$(-7, -8)$	down	narrower
$y = 0.75(x - 4)^2 + 2$			
$y = (x + 12)^2 + 9$			
$y = -\frac{5}{8}(x - \frac{7}{9})^2$			
$y = 3x^2 - 5$			

Reflection in the x-axis

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$y = 0.75(x - 4)^2 + 2$	$(4, 2)$	up	wider $0 < a < 1$
$y = (x + 12)^2 + 9$	$(-12, 9)$	up	the same
$y = -\frac{5}{8}(x - \frac{7}{9})^2$	$(\frac{7}{9}, 0)$	down	wider
$y = 3x^2 - 5$	$(0, -5)$	up	3 times skinnier
$y = -(x - 8)^2 - 2$	$(8, -2)$	down	same

$y = 3(x - 4)^2 - 5$

3. Indicate the curve that corresponds to each quadratic function.

no there

a) $y = \frac{1}{3}x^2$ _____

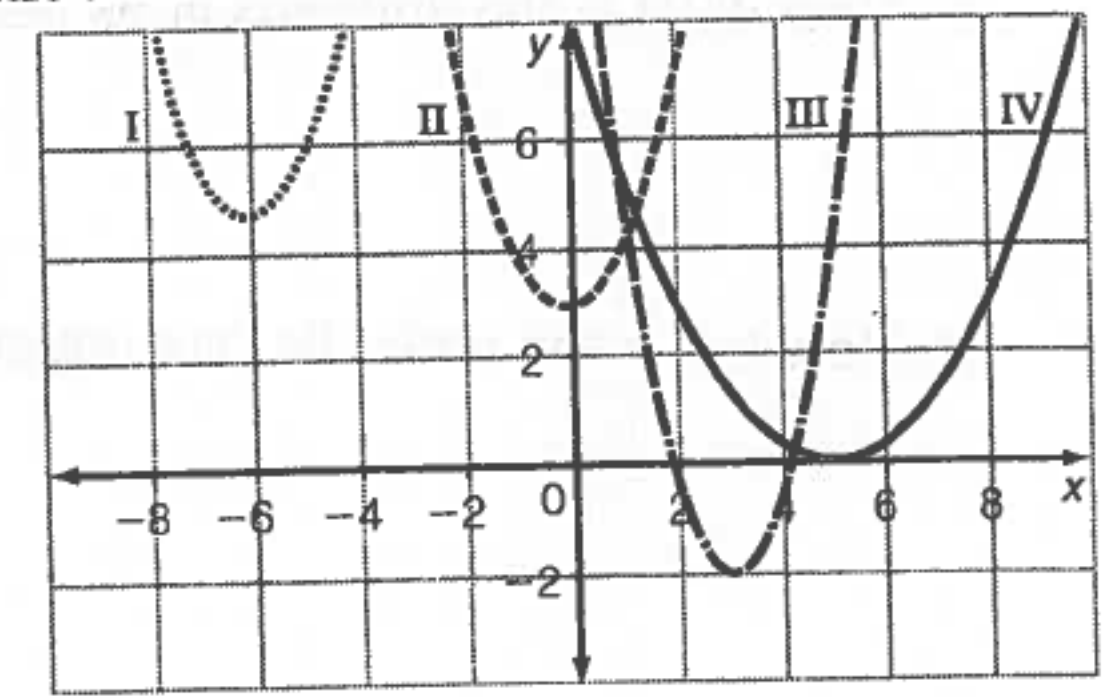
b) $y = x^2 + 3$ II

c) $y = 2(x - 3)^2 - 2$ III

d) $y = (x + 6)^2 + 5$ I

$(0, 0)$
 $(0, 3)$
 $(3, -2)$

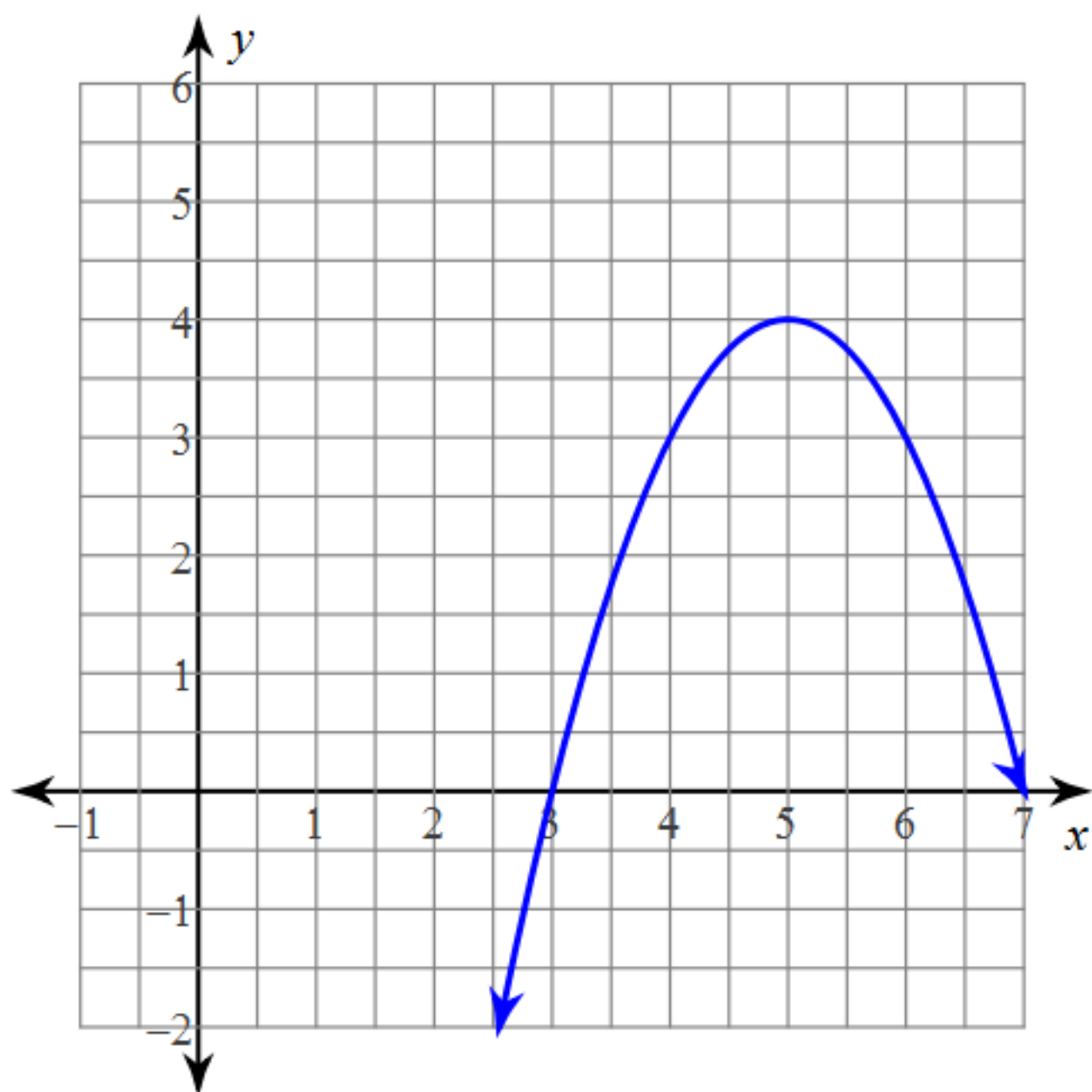
$(-6, 5)$



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Use the information provided to write the vertex form equation of each parabola.

1)



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

$$y = -1(x-5)^2 + 4$$

Vertex

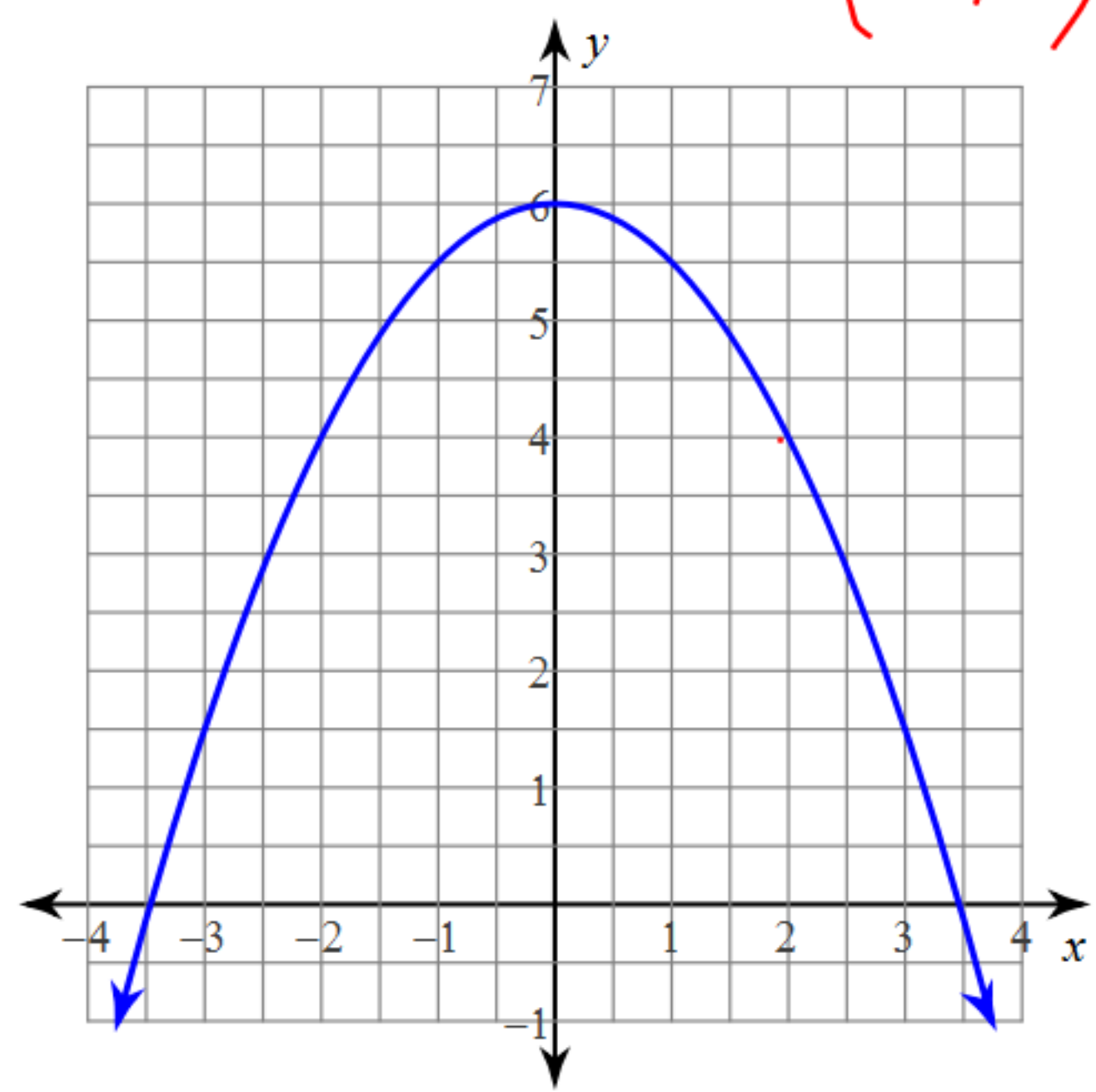
Use the information provided to write the vertex form equation of each parabola.

vertex = (0, 6)

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

$$y = -\frac{1}{2}(x - 0)^2 + 6$$

$$y = -\frac{1}{2}x^2 + 6$$



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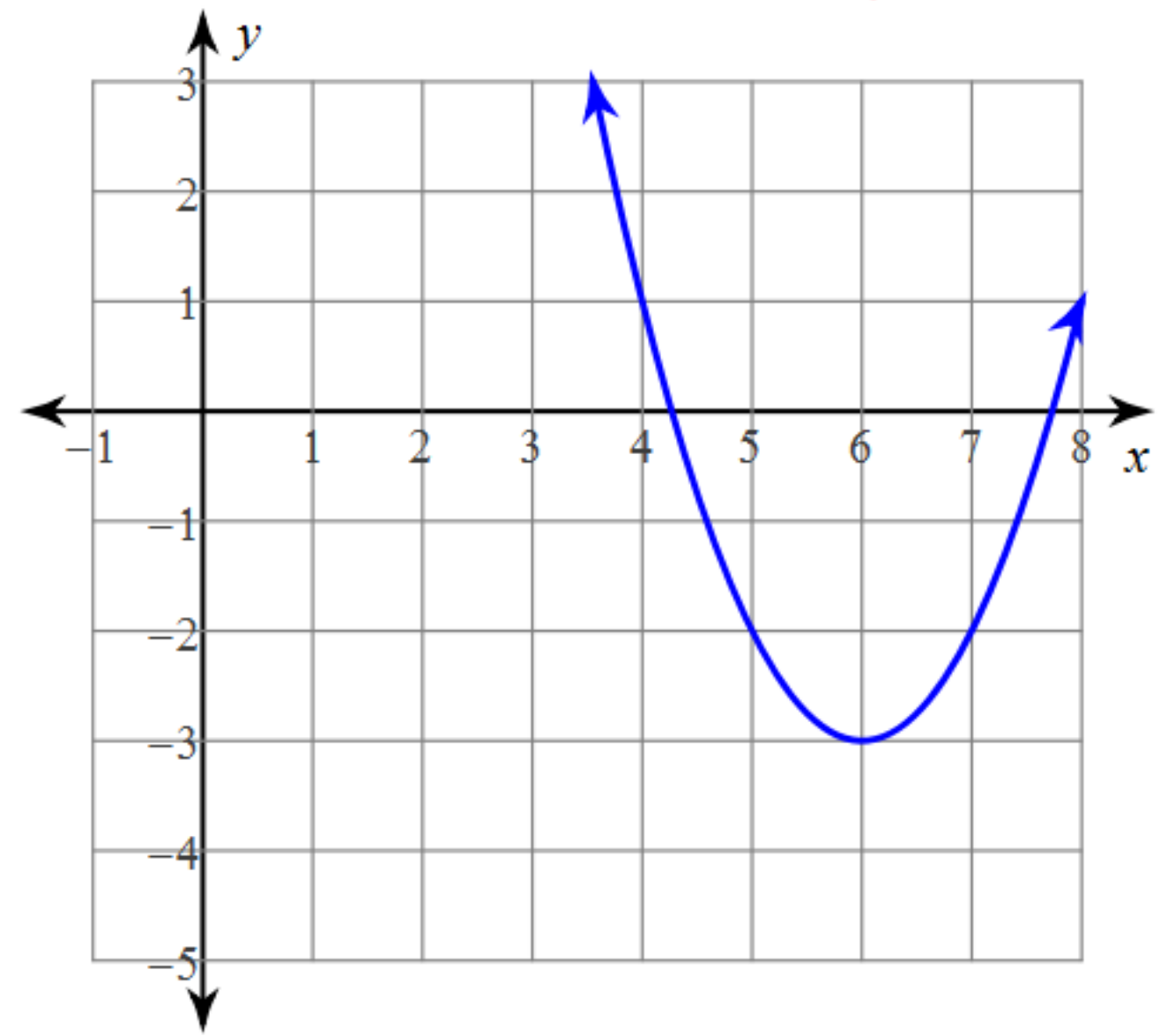
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Use the information provided to write the vertex form equation of each parabola.

vertex = (6, -3)

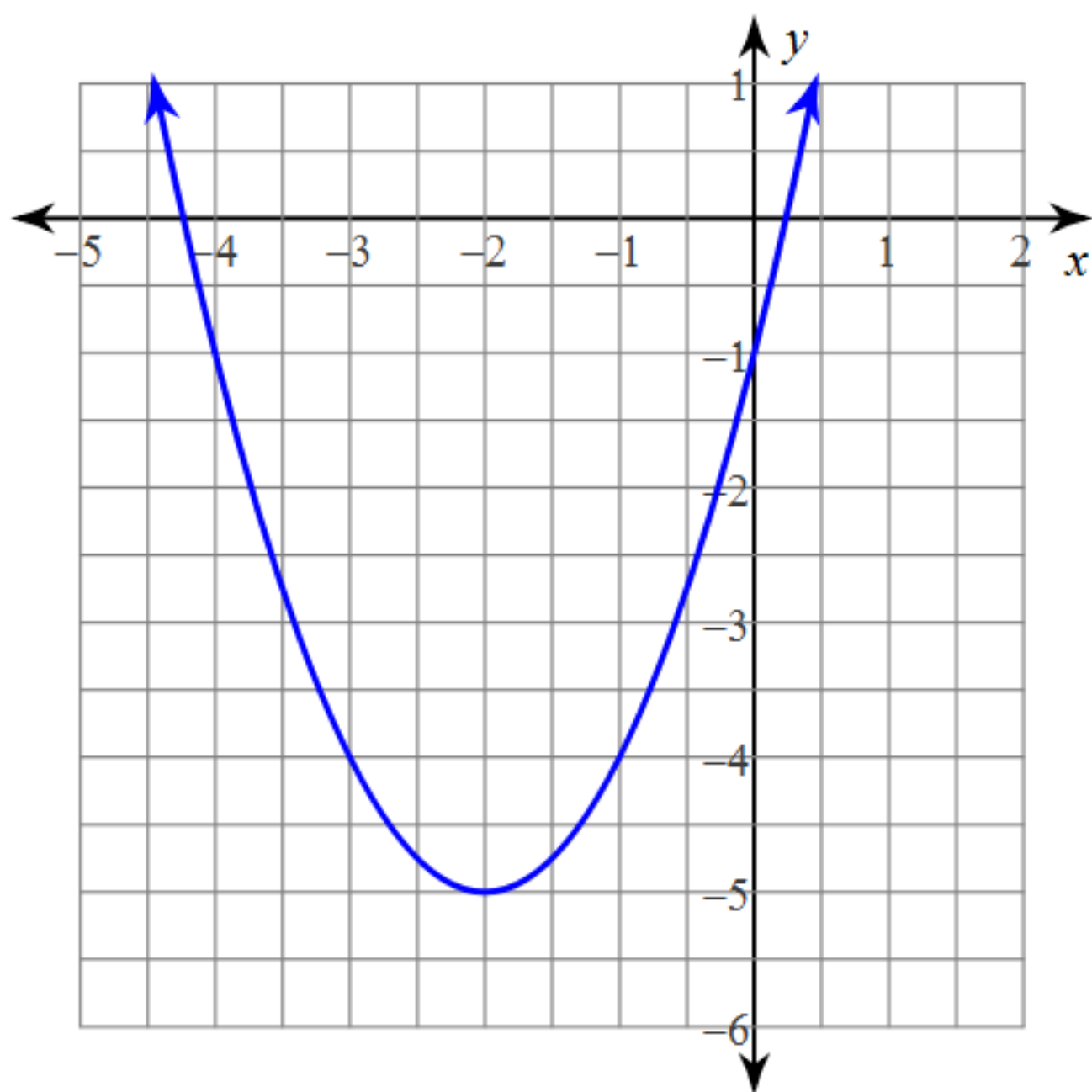
$$y = 1(x - 6)^2 - 3$$

3)



Use the information provided to write the vertex form equation of each parabola.

4)

vertex $(-2, -5)$ 

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

$$y = a(x + 2)^2 - 5$$

$$y = (x + 2)^2 - 5$$

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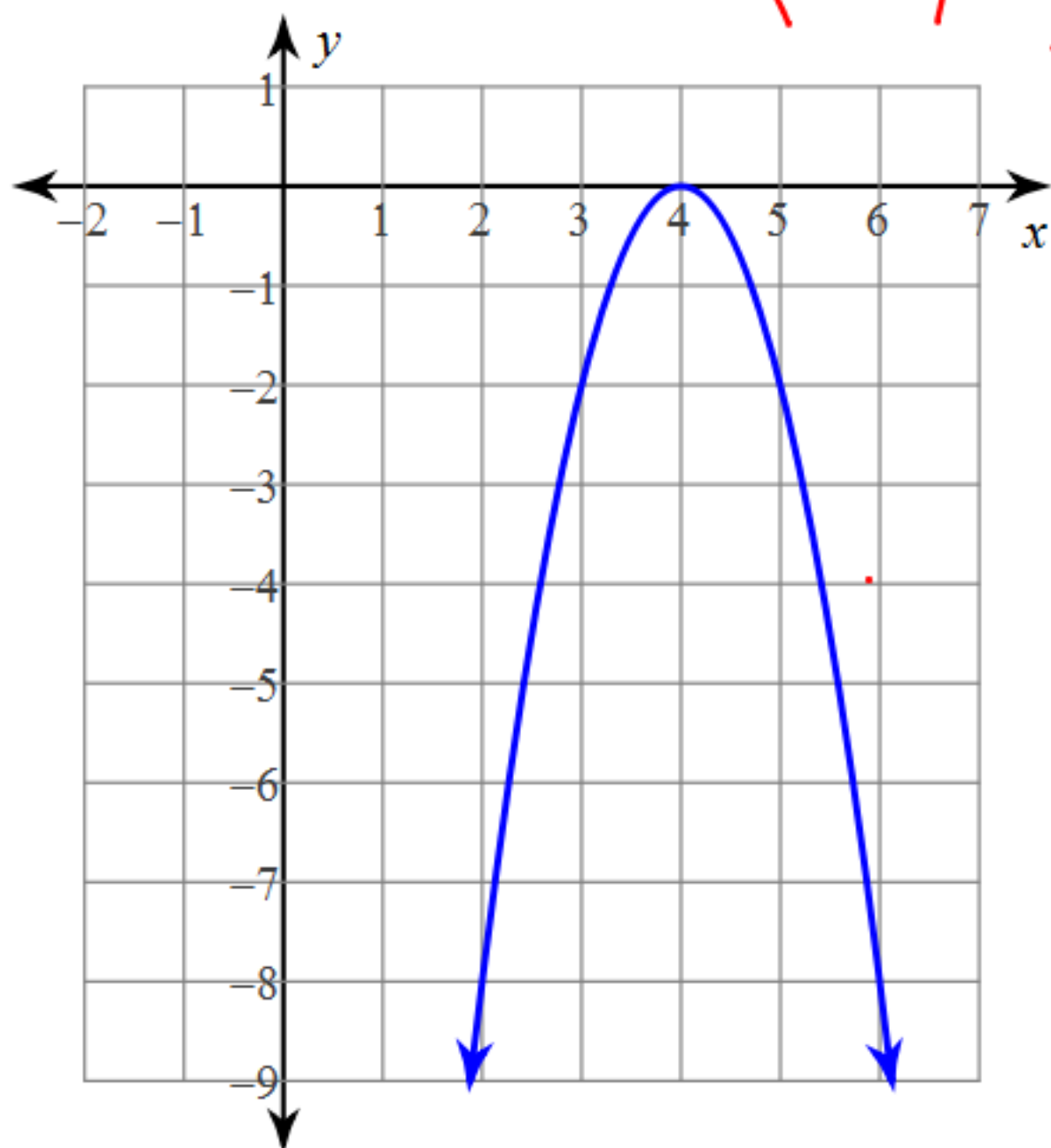


1-up

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5)

vertex (4,0)



$$y = a(x-h)^2 + k$$
$$y = -2(x-4)^2 + 0$$

Use the information provided to write the vertex form equation of each parabola.

6)

vertex $(-1, 3)$ $y = a(x - h)^2 + k$

$$y = -(x + 1)^2 + 3$$

