

Worksheet 22 QUADRATIC EQUATIONS AND GRAPHS OF PARABOLAS

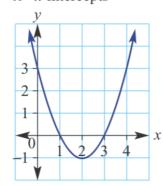
Parabola graphs

1. Choose a word from this list to complete each sentence.

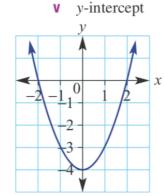
lowest, parabola, vertex, highest, intercepts, zero

- **a** A maximum turning point is the _____ point on the graph.
- **b** The graph of a quadratic is called a _____.
- **c** The x-_____ are the points where the graph cuts the x-axis.
- d The axis of symmetry is a vertical line passing through the _____
- e A minimum turning point is the _____ point on the graph.
- **f** The y-intercept is at x equals ______.
- 2. For each of the following graphs, state the:
 - i equation of the axis of symmetry ii coordinates of the turning point
 - iii type of turning point (maximum or minimum)
 - iv x-intercepts

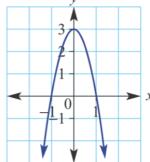
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- 3. Use the quadratic rule $y = x^2 + 2x 3$ to complete these tasks.
 - **a** Complete the table of values.

x	-4	-3	-2	-1	0	1	2
y							

- **b** Draw a set of axes using a scale that suits the numbers in your table. Then plot the points to form a parabola.
- **c** State these features.
 - i Type of turning point
- ii Coordinates of the turning point
- iii Axis of symmetry

- iv The y-intercept
- **V** The *x*-intercepts
- 4. A parabola has a turning point at (1, 3) and an x-intercept at 0.
 - **a** What is the equation of its axis of symmetry?
 - **b** What is the other *x*-intercept?