

# Pre-Calculus Math II

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5.

Because the information is given on a graph I am going to use the "inspection" method to find a value for "a" in the equation. Compare the distance up from the vertex to the next point to see how much stretch there is.

a)  $y_1$ : • from the vertex you go "right 1" then "up 1" to get to the next point so  $a = 1$   
• the vertex is at  $(0, 0)$  so there has been no horizontal or vertical shifting  
• so  $y_1 = 1(x-0)^2 + 0$   
simplify  $y_1 = x^2$

$y_2$ : • from the vertex you go "right 1" then "up 4" to get to the next point so  $a = 4$  because the "up" is 4 times the 1 that it should be  
• the vertex has been shifted up 2 so  $q = 2$   
• so  $y_2 = 4(x-0)^2 + 2$   
simplify  $y_2 = 4x^2 + 2$

$y_3$ : • from the vertex you go "right 2" then "up 2" to get to the next point - it should be "up 4" so  $a = \frac{2}{4} = \frac{1}{2}$   
• the vertex has been shifted down 2 so  $q = -2$   
• so  $y_3 = \frac{1}{2}(x-0)^2 + (-2)$   
simplify  $y_3 = \frac{1}{2}x^2 - 2$

$y_4$ : • from the vertex you go "right 2" then "up 1" to get to the next point - it should be "up 4" so  $a = \frac{1}{4}$   
• the vertex has been shifted down 4 so  $q = -4$   
• so  $y_4 = \frac{1}{4}(x-0)^2 + (-4)$   
simplify  $y_4 = \frac{1}{4}x^2 - 4$

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 5. b)  $y_1 = -x^2$   
 $y_2 = -4x^2 + 2$

$y_3 = -\frac{1}{2}x^2 - 2$   
 $y_4 = -\frac{1}{4}x^2 - 4$

c) a move left from the y-axis means that  $p = -4$

$y_1 = (x - (-4))^2$   
 $y_1 = (x + 4)^2$

$y_2 = 4(x - (-4))^2 + 2$   
 $y_2 = 4(x + 4)^2 + 2$

$y_3 = \frac{1}{2}(x - (-4))^2 - 2$   
 $y_3 = \frac{1}{2}(x + 4)^2 - 2$

$y_4 = \frac{1}{4}(x - (-4))^2 - 4$   
 $y_4 = \frac{1}{4}(x + 4)^2 - 4$

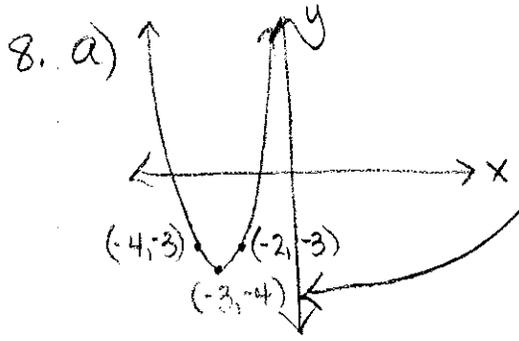
d) a translation (another word for "shift") down means  $q$  will be 2 less than it currently is

$y_1 = x^2 - 2$

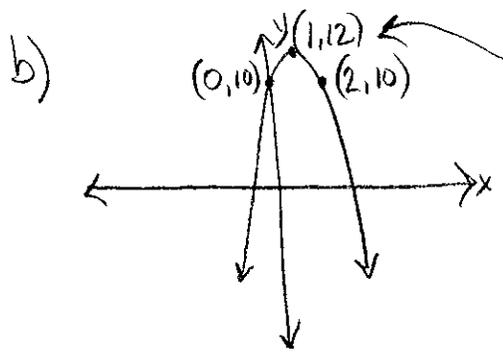
$y_2 = 4x^2 + 2 - 2$   
 $y_2 = 4x^2$

$y_3 = \frac{1}{2}x^2 - 2 - 2$   
 $y_3 = \frac{1}{2}x^2 - 4$

$y_4 = \frac{1}{4}x^2 - 4 - 2$   
 $y_4 = \frac{1}{4}x^2 - 6$



$p = -3, q = -4$   
 over 1, up 1 is standard  
 so  $a = 1$   
 $y = 1(x - (-3))^2 + (-4)$   
 $y = (x + 3)^2 - 4$



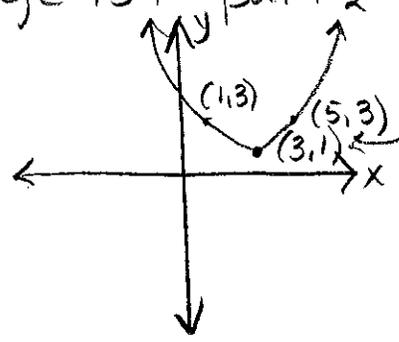
$p = 1, q = 12$   
 over 1, down 2 - double what it is supposed to be so  $a = 2$   
 opens down so  $a$  is negative  
 $y = -2(x - 1)^2 + 12$

Memorize!

x	y
1	1
2	4
3	9

$y = x^2$   
 Standard form!

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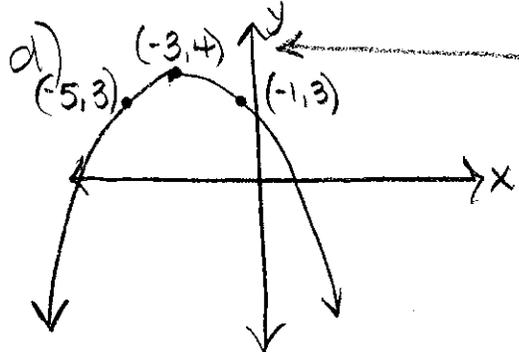


$p = 3, q = 1$

should be 4 and it's 2  
 $\frac{2}{4} = \frac{1}{2}$

over 2, up 2 -  $\frac{1}{2}$  of what it should be so  $a = \frac{1}{2}$   
 opens up so a is positive

$$y = \frac{1}{2}(x-3)^2 + 1$$



$p = -3, q = 4$

over 2, down 1 - should be down 4 so it's  $\frac{1}{4}$ ,  $a = \frac{1}{4}$   
 opens down so a is negative

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

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

9. a) vertex  $(0, 0)$  point  $(6, -9)$

$$-9 = a(6-0)^2 + 0$$

$$-9 = 36a$$

$$\frac{-9}{36} = a$$

$$-\frac{1}{4} = a$$

$$y = -\frac{1}{4}(x-0)^2 + 0$$

$$y = -\frac{1}{4}x^2$$

b) vertex  $(0, -6)$  point  $(3, 21)$

$$21 = a(3-0)^2 + (-6)$$

$$21 = 9a - 6$$

$$27 = 9a$$

$$3 = a$$

$$y = 3(x-0)^2 + (-6)$$

$$y = 3x^2 - 6$$

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9. e) vertex  $(\overset{p}{2}, \overset{q}{5})$  point  $(\overset{x}{4}, \overset{y}{-11})$

$$-11 = a(4-2)^2 + 5$$

$$-11 = 4a + 5$$

$$-16 = 4a$$

$$-4 = a$$

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

d) vertex  $(\overset{p}{-3}, \overset{q}{-10})$

$$-5 = a(2--3)^2 - 10$$

$$-5 = 25a - 10$$

$$5 = 25a$$

$$\frac{5}{25} = a$$

$$\frac{1}{5} = a$$

point  $(\overset{x}{2}, \overset{y}{-5})$

$$y = \frac{1}{5}(x--3)^2 - 10$$

$$y = \frac{1}{5}(x+3)^2 - 10$$

10.  $(4, 16)$

a) left 5:  $4-5 = -1$

up 8:  $16+8 = 24$

$(-1, 24)$

b) mult y-values by  $\frac{1}{4}$ :  $16(\frac{1}{4}) = 4$

reflect across x-axis: 4 below x-axis is -4  $(4, -4)$

c) reflect across x-axis: 16 below x-axis is -16

right 10:  $4+10 = 14$

$(14, -16)$

d) mult. y-values by 3:  $16 \cdot 3 = 48$

down 8:  $48-8 = 40$

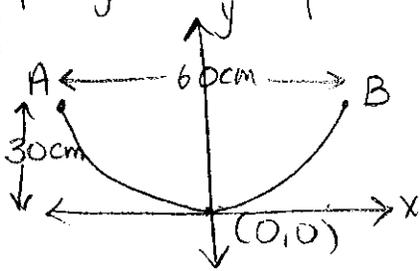
$(4, 40)$

12. All quadratic functions have 1 y-intercept.

- one arm only can cross
- the arm can cross only once
- one arm must cross

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13.



$$p=0, q=0$$

over 30, up 30 but it should be up 900 so  $a = \frac{30}{900} = \frac{1}{30}$

$$y = \frac{1}{30}(x-0)^2 + 0$$

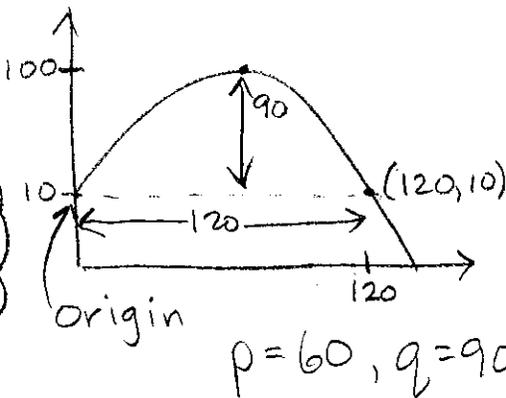
$$y = \frac{1}{30}x^2$$

b) A is the origin:  $y = \frac{1}{30}(x-30)^2 - 30$

B is the origin:  $y = \frac{1}{30}(x+30)^2 - 30$

shape stays the same

18.



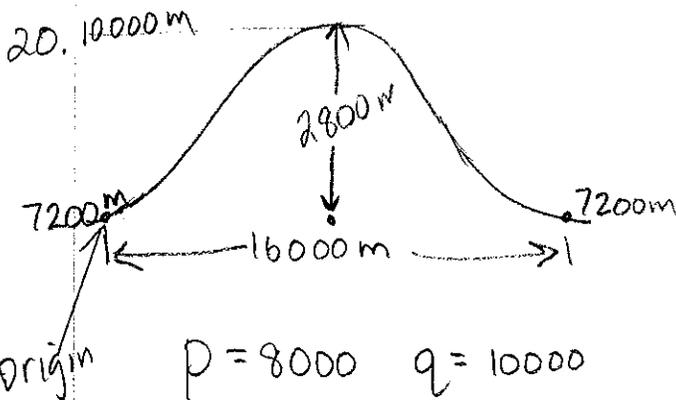
drawing not to scale!

from vertex: over 60, down 90 should be down 3600 so

$$a = \frac{-90}{3600} = \frac{-1}{40}$$

$$y = \frac{-1}{40}(x-60)^2 + 90$$

I think the text answer is wrong



from vertex: over 8000, down 2800 should be down 64000000 so

$$a = \frac{-2800}{64000000} = \frac{-7}{160000}$$

$$y = \frac{-7}{160000}(x-8000)^2 + 10000$$