

BUILDING QUADRATIC FUNCTIONS

1. Given the coordinates of the vertex and the value of "c".

- a) graph opens up, vertex (3, 2), $c = 4$ $4(4)(y - 2) = (x - 3)^2$
- b) graph opens down, vertex (-5, -3), $c = 1/4$ $-4(1/4)(y + 3) = (x + 5)^2$
- c) graph opens to the right, vertex (-2, 7), $c = 3/4$ $4(3/4)(x + 2) = (y - 7)^2$
- d) graph opens to the left, vertex (4, -3), $c = 6$ $-4(6)(x - 4) = (y + 3)^2$

2. Given the coordinates of the vertex and of the focal point.

- a) vertex (3, 5), focal point (5, 5) $c = 2$, opens right, $4(2)(x - 3) = (y - 5)^2$
- b) vertex (-3, 7), focal point (-11, 7) $c = 8$, opens left, $-4(8)(x + 3) = (y - 7)^2$
- c) vertex (4, -6), focal point (4, -11) $c = 5$, opens down, $-4(5)(y + 6) = (x - 4)^2$
- d) vertex (-3, -4), focal point (-3, 0) $c = 4$, opens up, $4(4)(y + 4) = (x + 3)^2$

3. Given the coordinates of the vertex and the equation of the directrix

- a) vertex (2, 3), $x = 6$ $c = 3$, opens left, $-4(3)(x - 2) = (y - 3)^2$
- b) vertex (-4, 5), $x = -5$ $c = 1$, opens right, $4(1)(x + 4) = (y - 5)^2$
- c) vertex (6, 8), $y = 12$ $c = 4$, opens down, $-4(4)(y - 8) = (x - 6)^2$
- d) vertex (-5, -2), $y = -6$ $c = 4$, opens up, $4(4)(y + 2) = (x + 5)^2$

4. Given the coordinates of the focal point and the equation of the directrix.

- a) focal point (4, 6), $x = 8$ $c = 2$, opens left, vertex (6, 6), $-4(3)(x + 6) = (y + 6)^2$
- b) focal point (-3, 6), $x = -5$ $c = 1$, opens right, vertex (-4, 6), $4(1)(x + 4) = (y - 6)^2$
- c) focal point (6, -9), $y = -5$ $c = 2$, opens down, vertex (6, -7), $-4(2)(y + 7) = (x - 6)^2$
- d) focal point (-2, -4), $y = -8$ $c = 2$, opens up, vertex (-2, -6), $4(2)(y + 6) = (x + 2)^2$

5. Given the endpoints of the latus rectum

- a) (-3, 7) and (-3, 9), opening left $c = 2$, vertex (-3, -1), $-4(2)(x + 1) = (y + 3)^2$
- b) (-6, 2) and (14, 2), opening down $c = 5$, vertex (4, 2), $-4(5)(y - 2) = (x - 4)^2$

6. Given a point on the curve and the vertex

- a) point (6, 7) and vertex (14, -5), opening left
 $-4(c)(6 - 14) = (7 - (-5))^2$, $c = 144 / 32 = 9 / 2$, $-4(9 / 2)(x - 14) = (y + 5)^2$
- b) point (-6, -5) and vertex (6, 4), opening down
 $-4(c)(-5 - 4) = (-6 - 6)^2$, $c = 4$, $-4(4)(y - 4) = (x - 6)^2$