

## SOLVE QUADRATIC EQUATIONS - GRAPHING

## LEARNING GOALS

- Review how to solve quadratic equations and graph the roots (x-intercepts).

## REVIEW: FACTORING

Factor the following.

$$x^2 + 9x + 14$$

$$\underline{7} \times \underline{2} = 14$$

$$\underline{7} + \underline{2} = 9$$

$$= (x+7)(x+2)$$

$$4x^2 - 12x + 9$$

$$\underline{-6} \times \underline{-6} = 36$$

$$\underline{-6} + \underline{-6} = -12$$

$$= 4x^2 - 6x - 6x + 9$$

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

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

## REVIEW: SOLVING QUADRATIC EQUATIONS

Solve the following equations which are already factored.

$$(x+7)(x+2) = 0$$

$$x+7=0$$

$$x=-7$$

$$x+2=0$$

$$x=-2$$

$$(3x-5)(2x+3) = 0$$

$$3x-5=0$$

$$x = \frac{5}{3}$$

$$2x+3=0$$

$$x = -\frac{3}{2}$$

Solve the following equations by converting to factored form.

$$x^2 + 5x + 6$$

$$\underline{3} \times \underline{2} = 6$$

$$\underline{3} + \underline{2} = 5$$

$$= (x+3)(x+2)$$

$$x+3=0 \quad x+2=0$$

$$x=-3 \quad x=-2$$

$$4x^2 - 12x = -9$$

$$4x^2 - 12x + 9 = 0$$

$$(2x-3)^2 = 0$$

$$2x-3=0$$

$$x = \frac{3}{2}$$

REVIEW: SKETCHING

Graph the following equation using the x-intercepts and vertex.

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

$$2x + 3 = 0$$

$$x = \frac{-3}{2}$$

$$x - 1 = 0$$

$$x = 1$$

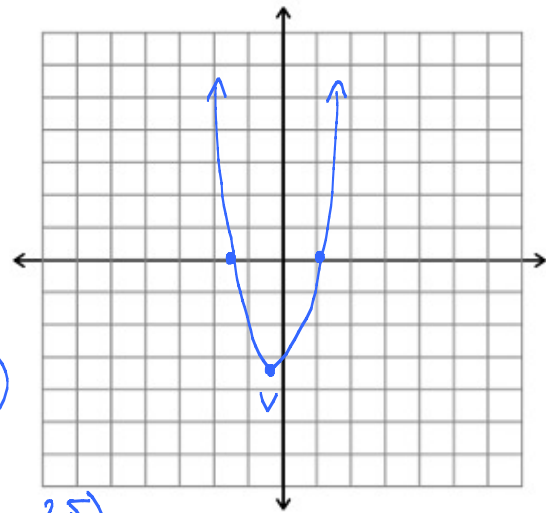
$$h = \frac{r+s}{2}$$

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

$$k = (2(\frac{-1}{4}) + 3)(\frac{-1}{4} - 1)$$

$$= (\frac{5}{2})(-\frac{5}{4})$$

$$= -\frac{25}{8} \quad V(-\frac{1}{4}, -\frac{25}{8})$$



USE FACTORING TO GRAPH A QUADRATIC EQUATION

Graph the following using the x-intercepts.

$$y = -x^2 + 5x - 6$$

$$= -(x^2 - 5x + 6)$$

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

$$x-3=0 \quad x-2=0$$

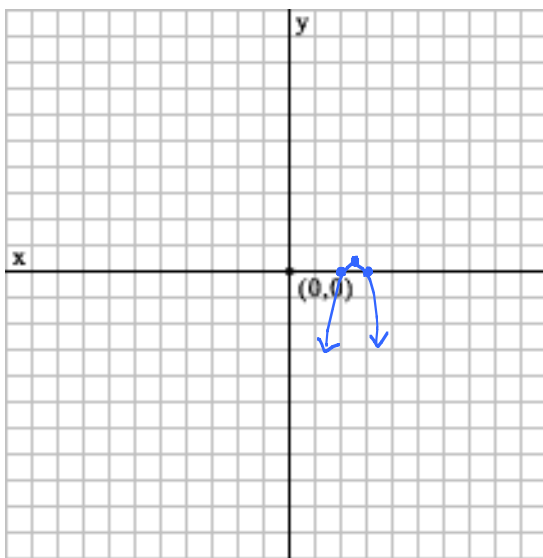
$$x=3 \quad x=2$$

$$h = \frac{r+s}{2}$$

$$= \frac{5}{2}$$

$$k = -(\frac{5}{2}-3)(\frac{5}{2}-2)$$

$$= -(-\frac{1}{2})(\frac{1}{2}) = \frac{1}{4}$$



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

$$\frac{-4}{-4} \times \frac{3}{3} = -12$$

$$\frac{-4}{-4} + \frac{3}{3} = -1$$

$$= 2x^2 - 4x + 3x - 6$$

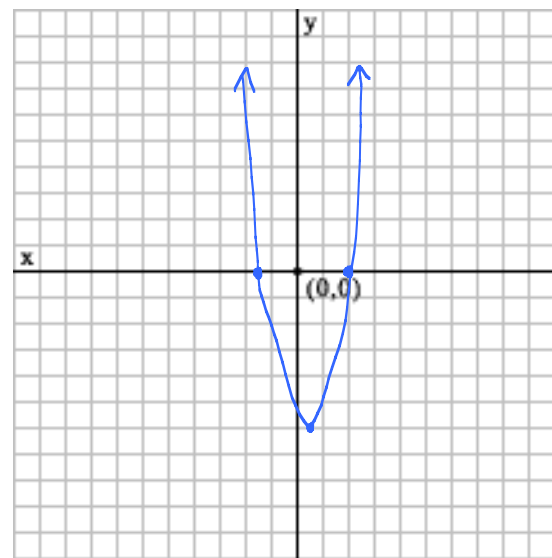
$$= 2x(x-2) + 3(x-2)$$

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

$$x=2 \quad x = -\frac{3}{2}$$

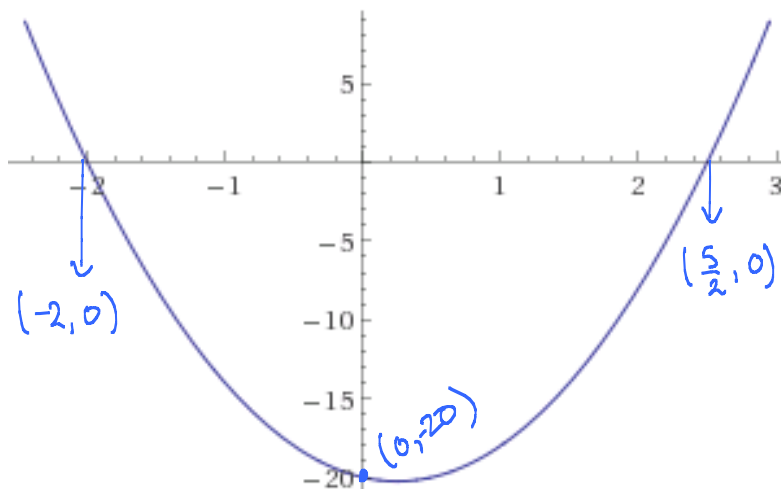
$$h = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$k = \frac{-49}{8} \approx -6.1$$



## USE THE GRAPH TO FIND THE EQUATION

Using the x-intercepts and vertex, find the factored and standard form of the quadratic equation shown on the graph. (Use only fractions – no decimals!)



$$\begin{aligned} y &= a(x-r)(x-s) \\ &= a\left(x-\frac{5}{2}\right)(x+2) \\ &= a(2x-5)(x+2) \end{aligned}$$

Use  $P(0, -20)$  to  
find  $a$

$$-20 = a(2(0) - 5)(0 + 2)$$

$$a = 2$$

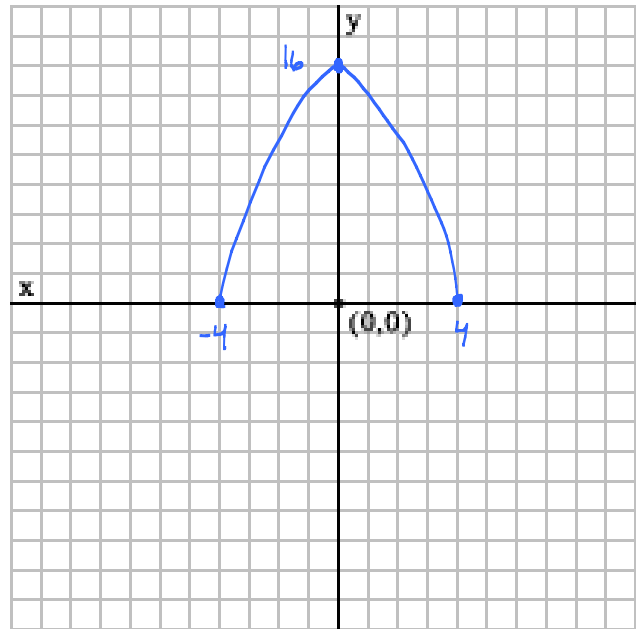
$$y = 2(2x-5)(x+2)$$

$$y = 2(2x^2 + 4x - 5x - 10)$$

$$y = 4x^2 - 2x - 20$$

## APPLYING TO WORD PROBLEMS

1. To commemorate the 100th anniversary of the Newtonville Fair, an entrance arch will be built. The design engineer uses the equation  $h = -d^2 + 16$  to model the arch, where  $h$  is the height, in meters, above the ground and  $d$  is the horizontal distance, in meters, from the centre of the arch.



- a. How wide and how tall is the arch?

$$0 = -d^2 + 16$$

$$\sqrt{d^2} = \sqrt{16}$$

$$d = \pm 4 \quad V(0, 16)$$

8m wide and 16m tall.

- b. For what values of  $d$  and  $h$  is the relation valid? Explain.

$d$  is valid between  $-4$  and  $4 \rightarrow$  sides of the arch  
 $h$  is valid between  $0$  and  $16 \rightarrow$  top and bottom.

- c. If a width of 2.5 m is needed per line-up at the entrance, how many line-ups can there be?

$$\frac{8 \text{ m wide}}{2.5 \text{ m wide/line}} \approx 3 \text{ lines}$$