

More Quadratic functions

aka (Parabolas)

Vertex Form: $y = a(x-p)^2 + q$

Vertex: (p, q)

Recall: A q.f. has an x^2 (no higher or weird powers of x)

$$y = (x-3)^2 + 2 \quad \checkmark$$

$$y = x^2 + 3x + 2 \quad \checkmark$$

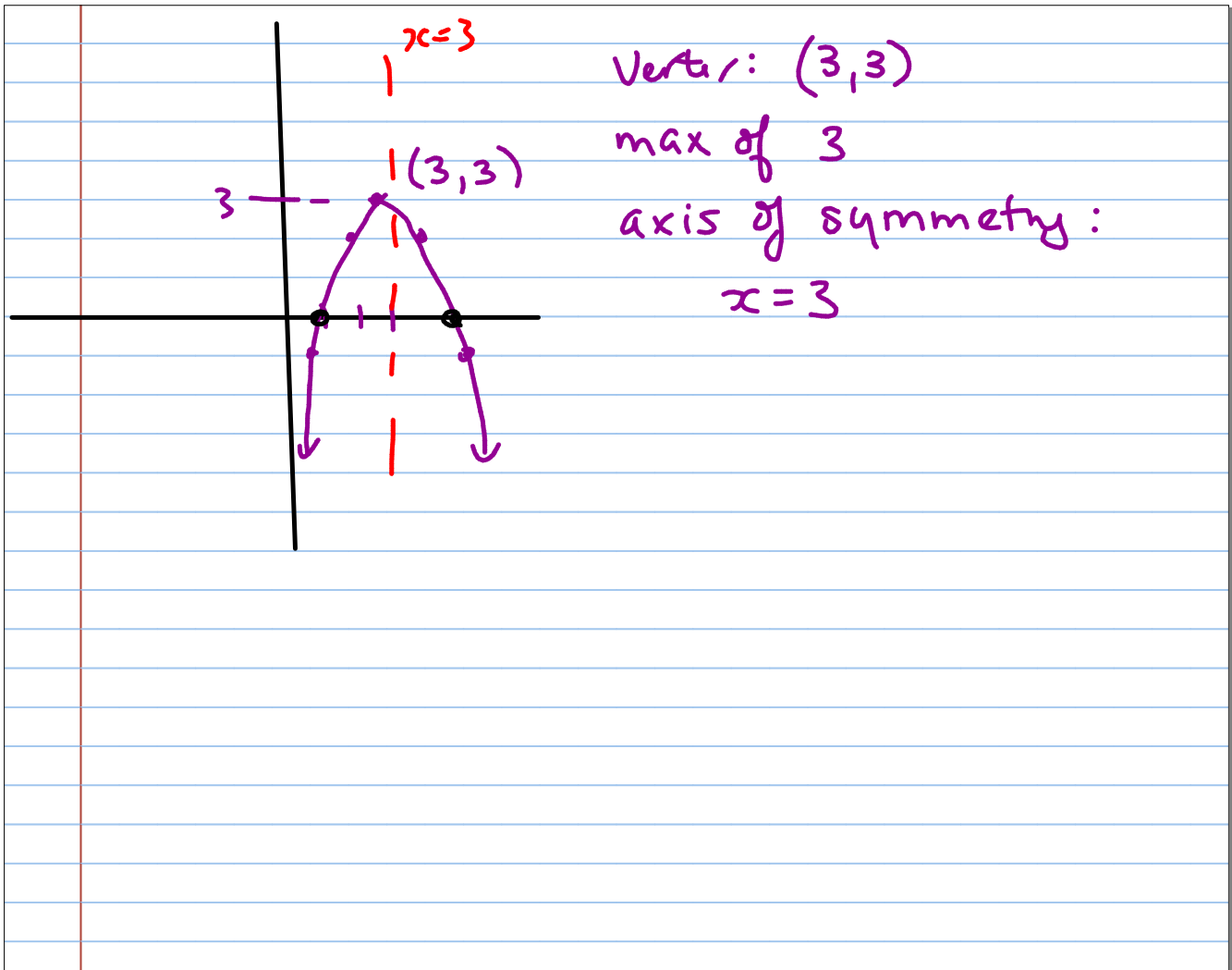
$$y = x(x+2)$$

$$y = x^2 + 2x \quad \checkmark$$

$$y = x^2 + \frac{3}{x} \quad \times \text{ (NOT a parabola)}$$

$$y = \underline{x}(\underline{x-1})(\underline{x+2}) \quad \times$$

$$= x^3 + \dots$$



Standard Form

$$y = x^2 + 2x + 3$$

$$y = Ax^2 + Bx + C$$

$A = 1$
 $B = 2$
 $C = 3$

$$y_1 = x^2 + 2x + 3$$

$$y = 3x^2 + \frac{2}{7}x + 191$$

Using Your Graphing Calc:

To find vertex:

2nd function Trace

Max or min

- cursor to LEFT of vertex (enter)
- cursor to RIGHT of vertex (enter)
- GUESS? (ignore! enter)

X-INTERCEPTS :

- 2nd function Trace (calc)
- "ZEROS"
- Curser on the left of the intersection
↓ hit enter, same on the right
- GUESS? Enter

TODAY work on 3.2

When you are done, go back
& finish 3.1

tomorrow we move on to 3.3