

**Properties of a Parabola**

1. Complete the following table.

Equation	Vertex	Step Pattern From Vertex	Direction of Opening
$y = (x - 2)^2 + 1$			
$y = -(x + 4)^2 + 6$			
$y = 4(x - 4)^2 - 1$			
$y = 3(x + 7)^2 - 4$			
$y = -2(x - 10)^2 + 100$			
$y = (x - 4)^2 + 15$			
$y = -2(x + 2)^2 + 64$			
$y = 5(x - 10)^2 - 11$			
	(-3, -3)	2, 6, 10	Up
	(20, -10)	-1, -3, -5	Down

2. Sketch the graph of any five of the above quadratics from the table above.

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### Properties of a Parabola (Solution)

Equation	Vertex	Step Pattern From Vertex	Direction of Opening
$y = (x - 2)^2 + 1$	<b>(2, 1)</b>	<b>1, 3, 5</b>	<b>Up</b>
$y = -(x + 4)^2 + 6$	<b>(-4, 6)</b>	<b>-1, -3, -5</b>	<b>Down</b>
$y = 4(x - 4)^2 - 1$	<b>(4, -1)</b>	<b>4, 12, 20</b>	<b>Up</b>
$y = 3(x + 7)^2 - 4$	<b>(-7, -4)</b>	<b>3, 9, 15</b>	<b>Up</b>
$y = -2(x - 10)^2 + 100$	<b>(10, 100)</b>	<b>-2, -6, -10</b>	<b>Down</b>
$y = (x - 4)^2 + 15$	<b>(4, 15)</b>	<b>1, 3, 5</b>	<b>Up</b>
$y = -2(x + 2)^2 + 64$	<b>(-2, 64)</b>	<b>-2, -6, -10</b>	<b>Down</b>
$y = 5(x - 10)^2 - 11$	<b>(10, -11)</b>	<b>5, 15, 25</b>	<b>Up</b>
<b><math>y = 2(x + 3)^2 - 3</math></b>	<b>(-3, -3)</b>	<b>2, 6, 10</b>	<b>Up</b>
<b><math>y = -(x - 20)^2 - 10</math></b>	<b>(20, -10)</b>	<b>-1, -3, -5</b>	<b>Down</b>