<u>Three Forms of Quadratic Functions</u>

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If your equation is in form, how do you find the?	VERTEX FORM $y = a(x - h)^2 + k$	STANDARD FORM $y = ax^2 + bx + c$	FACTORED FORM $y = a(x - r_1)(x - r_2)$
AXIS OF SYMMETRY (AOS)	<pre>x = h (the AOS is the x value of</pre>	$x = \frac{-b}{2a}$	Find the x-intercepts first, then the Axis of symmetry is in the middle, the "average of the x- intercepts.
VERTEX	(h, k)	Plug AOS into the original function to solve for the y value of the vertex	Plug AOS into the original function to solve for the y value of the vertex
X-INTERCEPTS	Get into factored form and use the zero product property	Get into factored form and use the zero product property	Use the zero product property.
Y-INTERCEPT	*Plug in 0 for the x intercept <u>or</u> *get into standard form to find the c-value	y-intercept = c-value	* Plug in 0sfor the x's and find the y intercept or * Change equation into standard form and find the c-value
YOUR TURN	VERTEX FORM $y = (x+1)^2 - 9$	STANDARD FORM $y = x^2 - 6x + 5$	FACTORED FORM $y = 2(x-1)(x-3)$
AXIS OF SYMMETRY			
VERTEX (h,k)			
X-INTERCEPTS (-r,0) (r,0)			
Y-INTERCEPT (0, c)			