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Solve by completing the square.

1.
$$x^2 + 2x - 3 = 0$$

2.
$$3x^2 + 6x - 15 = 0$$

3.
$$(x-3)^2 = 27$$

4.
$$x^2 + 7x - 60 = 0$$

5.
$$3x^2 - 8x - 16 = 0$$

6.
$$x^2 - 14x + 50 = 0$$

7.
$$10x^2 - 11x - 6 = 0$$

8.
$$2y^2 - 6y = 1$$

9.
$$x^3 - 8 = 0$$

10.
$$x^4 - 10x^2 + 24 = 0$$

11.
$$\frac{x}{x-1} = \frac{1}{x+1} + \frac{3}{x^2-1}$$

$$12. \ \frac{1}{3}x^2 = 2x + 1$$

13.
$$(x-2)^2 + (x-2) - 12 = 0$$

Solve the inequality and write the solution in interval notation.

14.
$$x^2 - 3x - 10 \le 0$$

15.
$$\frac{3}{x-5} < 0$$

16.
$$\frac{x-3}{x+5} > 0$$

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17.
$$\frac{x+1}{x+3} > 2$$

17. _____

18. A square picture frame will hold a poster with an area of 196 square inches. Find the dimensions of the frame.

18. _____

19. A whole number increased by its square is 4 times itself. Find the number.

19. _____

20. A ball is thrown upward from a 100-foot tall building with an initial velocity of 14 feet per second. Its height s(t) is given by the function $s(t) = -16t^2 + 14t + 100$. Find the interval of time for which the ball is greater than 103 feet.

20. _____

21. Write the equation of a parabola with the shape as $f(x) = -2x^2$ but with the vertex (-3, 2).

21. _____

22. Find the vertex of the graph of $f(x) = 3x^2 - 12x + 5$ and determine whether the graph opens upward or downward.

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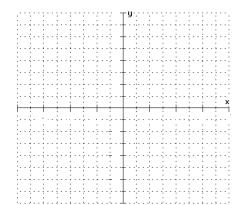
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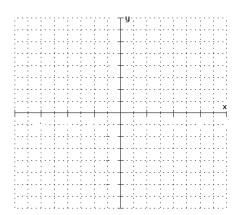
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Give the vertex, determine whether the graph opens upward or downward, and graph.

23.
$$y = x^2 + 2x - 8$$

24.
$$h(x) = 3(x+1)^2 - 3$$





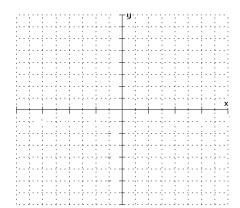
23. Vertex: _____

24. Vertex: _____

Opens: _____

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25. Give the vertex and x-intercepts and graph. $f(x) = -x^2 + 3x + 2$



25. Vertex: _____

x-intercepts: _____

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2.
$$-1 \pm \sqrt{6}$$

3.
$$3 \pm 3\sqrt{3}$$

5.
$$-\frac{4}{3}$$
,4

6.
$$7 \pm i$$

7.
$$-\frac{2}{5}, \frac{3}{2}$$

8.
$$\frac{3 \pm \sqrt{11}}{2}$$

9. 2,
$$-1 \pm i\sqrt{3}$$

10.
$$\pm 2, \pm \sqrt{6}$$

11.
$$\pm \sqrt{2}$$

12.
$$3 \pm 2\sqrt{3}$$

$$13. -2, 5$$

$$14. [-2, 5]$$

15.
$$(-\infty, 5)$$

16.
$$(-\infty, -5) \cup (3, \infty)$$

17.
$$(-5, -3)$$

$$20.\left(\frac{3}{8},\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

21.
$$f(x) = -2x^2 - 12x - 16$$

