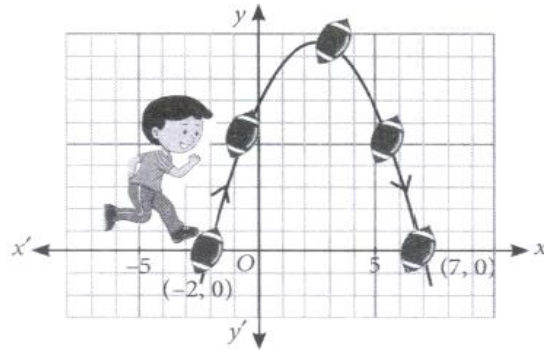


## **GRADE 10 - CASE STUDY QUESTIONS FOR CLASS WORK**

### **CHAPTER : 2 - POLYNOMIALS**

In a soccer match, the path of the soccer ball in a kick is recorded as shown in the following graph.



Based on the above information, answer the following questions:

(i) The shape of path of the soccer ball is a :

- (a) Circle      (b) Parabola      (c) Line      (d) None of these

(ii) The axis of symmetry of the given parabola is

- (a) y-axis      (b) x-axis  
(c) line parallel to y-axis      (d) line parallel to x-axis

(iii) The zeroes of the polynomial, represented in the given graph, are

- (a) -1,7      (b) 5,-2      (c) -2,7      (d) -3,8

(iv) Write the polynomial which has -2 and -3 as its zeroes.

(v) For what value of 'x', the value of the polynomial  $f(x) = (x-3)^2 + 9$  is 9?

### **ANSWERS :**

(i) (b): The shape of the path of the soccer ball is a parabola.

(ii) (c): The axis of symmetry of the given curve is a line parallel to y-axis.

(iii) (a): The zeroes of the polynomial, represented in the given graph, are -2 and 7,  
since the curve cuts the x-axis at these points.

(iv) Required polynomial is  $x^2+5x+6$

(v)  $x = 3$