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Solution

Since the line of symmetry will always be a vertical line in all of our parabolas, the general formula for the line will be $v = y$

where y is the first coordinate of the vertex, and it is equal: $-\frac{5}{2(2)} = -\frac{5}{4}$

So, the axis of symmetry is: $v = -\frac{5}{4}$