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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  $w = s$

where  $s$  is the first coordinate of the vertex, and it is equal:  $-\frac{5}{2(1)} = -\frac{5}{2}$

So, the axis of symmetry is:  $w = -\frac{5}{2}$