Solution To find the vertex, we look at the coefficients in the function  $\mathtt{u}(\mathtt{s}) = \mathtt{as}^2 + \mathtt{bs} + \mathtt{c}$ 

in this equation, a = 3 and b = 2The first coordinate of the vertex has the formula:  $\frac{-b}{2a}$  now, plugging into formula to get:

 $\frac{-b}{2a} = -\frac{2}{2(3)} = -\frac{1}{3}$ 

Therefore, the vertex of the graph of f is  $(-\frac{1}{3}, -\frac{16}{3})$ 

The second coordinate of the vertex is  $u\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) = 3\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + 2\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) - 5$