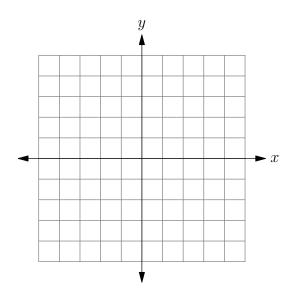
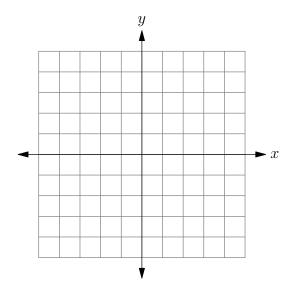
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 $1.\ (10\ \mathrm{points})$ Graph each of the following parabolas.

(a)
$$f(x) = \frac{1}{2}x^2 - 3x - \frac{1}{2}$$



(b)
$$y = -x^2 - 6x - 8$$



2. (10 points) A experimental	aircraft is la	aunched at	time $t = 0$.	Its height	above the	ground
is given by the function						
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$$y(t) = -5t^2 + 90t + 250,$$

where y is height (in meters) and t is time (in seconds).

(a) How high is the aircraft at the time it is launched?

(b) How high is it after 3 seconds?

(c) What is its maximum height?

(d) At what time does the aircraft strike the ground?