a) 
$$y = \alpha x^2 - 4x + 2$$
  
 $x = \begin{bmatrix} x^2 \\ x \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $w = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -4 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$ .

$$\begin{cases}
2 \\
2
\end{cases} = x^T w = \left[x^2 \times 1\right] \left[-\frac{2}{7}\right]$$

$$X = \begin{cases} x_{1}^{2} & x_{1} & 1 \\ x_{1}^{2} & x_{2} & 1 \\ x_{1}^{2} & x_{3} & 1 \\ x_{1}^{2} & x_{3} & 1 \\ x_{2}^{2} & x_{3} & 1 \\ x_{3}^{2} & x_{3} & 1 \\ \end{cases}$$

$$M = \begin{bmatrix}
3 \\
3^{2} \\
3^{7} \\
3^{7}
\end{bmatrix} = \chi W = \begin{bmatrix}
\chi_{1}^{1} & \chi_{1} & 1 \\
\chi_{2}^{2} & \chi_{2} & 1 \\
\chi_{1}^{2} & \chi_{2}^{2} & 1
\end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix}
2 \\
-4 \\
2
\end{bmatrix}$$

$$W = \begin{bmatrix} 9 \\ 4 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

b) 
$$\chi = \begin{cases} 1 & 3 & 44 \\ 0.8 & 2 & 28 \\ 1.3 & 2.7 & 29.7 \\ 9 & 4 & 16 \end{cases}$$
  $w = \begin{bmatrix} 9 \\ 4 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$