



**Q2.**

(a) Show clearly that  $(3x + 1)^2 \equiv 9x^2 + 6x + 1$

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(1)

(b) Solve the simultaneous equations  $y = 3x + 1$

$$y^2 = 4x^2 - x + 7$$

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Answer \_\_\_\_\_

(5)

(Total 6 marks)

**Q3.**

Solve the simultaneous equations

$$4x + y = -3 \quad \text{and} \quad y = x^2 + 2x + 5$$

Do **not** use trial and improvement.  
You **must** show your working.

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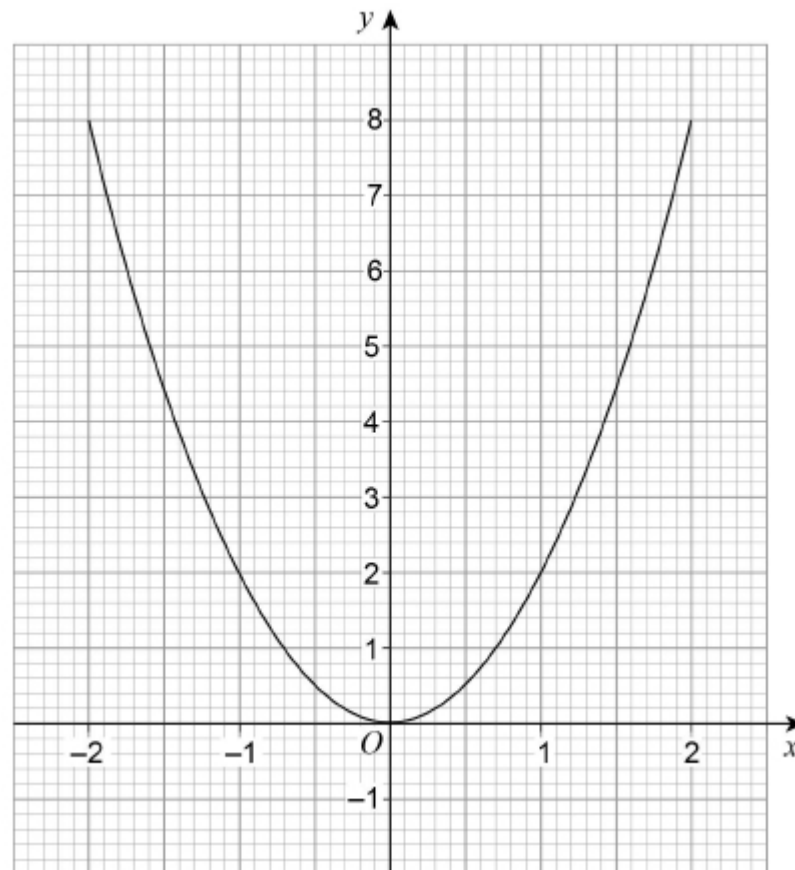
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## Calculator

**Q5.**

- (a) Meera is using a **graphical** method to solve  $2x^2 - 3x = 0$   
She draws the graph of  $y = 2x^2$  and a straight line graph on the same grid.  
Here is the graph of  $y = 2x^2$



Complete her method to solve  $2x^2 - 3x = 0$

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Answer \_\_\_\_\_

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(b) Levi is solving  $2x^2 + 5x = 0$

He uses this method.

$$2x^2 + 5x = 0 \quad \text{subtract } 5x \text{ from both sides}$$

$$2x^2 = -5x \quad \text{divide both sides by } x$$

$$2x = -5 \quad \text{divide both sides by 2}$$

$$x = -2.5$$

Evaluate his method and his answer.

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(Total 4 marks)

**Q6.**

Solve the simultaneous equations

$$x + y = 4$$

$$y^2 = 4x + 5$$

Do **not** use trial and improvement.

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Answer \_\_\_\_\_

(Total 6 marks)





