

The graph of $y = a x^2$ ($a > 0$) is a _____ with no vertex at the _____ that opens _____.

- A) parabola ... origin ... downward
- B) parabola ... origin ... upward
- C) parabola ... origin ... to the left
- D) parabola ... origin ... to the right

The graph of $y = a x^2$ ($a > 0$) is a parabola with no vertex at the origin

that opens upward.

Answer **B**

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