Math II   Graphing Quadratics in Standard Form Applications

1. The path of a hamster performing stunts by jumping off of high places is given by the equation $y = -16t^2 + 24t + 16$ where "y" is the vertical height in feet and "t" is time in seconds.

That said, do the following….

- State if the graph has a minimum or a maximum.

- State the coordinate of the minimum or maximum and state what it means in reference to the scenario.

- State the coordinate of y-intercept and state what it mean in reference to the scenario.

- Graph the scenario below. Use a SKETCH and LABEL all point you used.

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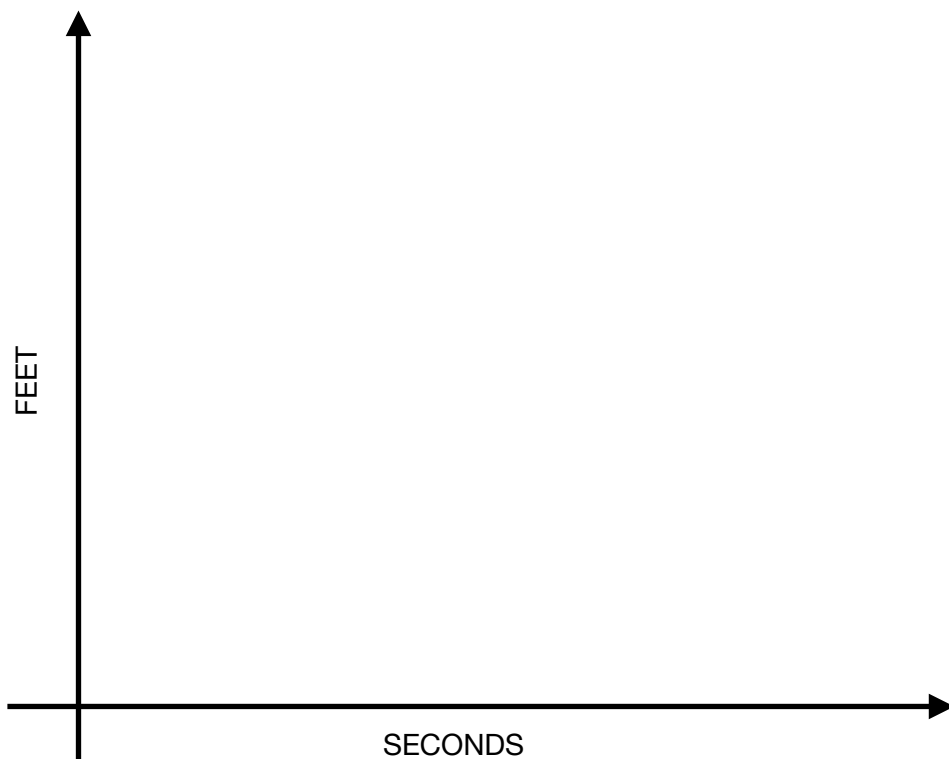
1. The path of a hamster diving into water is given by the equation $y = \frac{1}{2}x^2 - 6x$ where "y" is the vertical height in feet and "x" is horizontal distance in feet. That said, do the following….

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