# **Lesson 7 Teaching Portal Materials**

## **Episode Supports**

### **Episode 3: Reflecting**

#### **Episode Description**

Keoni and Sasha reflect on why increasing the *p*-value results in a wider parabola. They engage in algebraic reasoning to support their argument.

#### **Focus Questions**

For use in a classroom, pause the video and ask these questions:

- 1. [Pause the video at 1:03]. How did Sasha get the equation  $y = \frac{1}{y}$ ?
- 2. [Pause the video at **2:17**]. What does a smaller y-value have to do with the shape of the graph?

### Supporting Dialogue

Provide opportunities to revoice the mathematical ideas of others:

- Revoice what Sasha and Keoni noticed and justified about how a change in the *p*-value impacts the *y*-value of a coordinate with a fixed *x*-value.
- Revoice what Sasha and Keoni noticed and justified about how a change in the *p*-value impacts the shape of a parabola.

#### Math Extensions

1. Find the coordinates of points on each of the three parabolas when the *x*-value is 1.5.

2. Considering the ordered pairs that you found, what do you notice about the *y*-values when the *p*-value increases? How does that impact the shape of the parabola?

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