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$$f'(c) = -2c = \frac{f(2) - f(-1)}{2 - (-1)} = \frac{0 - 3}{3} = -1$$

so by MVT, $\boxed{c = \frac{1}{2}}$ ✓
in $[-1, 2]$

2) Find the extrema for g on the closed interval.

$$f'(x) = -2x = 0$$

$x = 0$ critical #

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$$f(a) = f(-1) = 3 \text{ not min honey}$$

$$\rightarrow f(0) = 4 \text{ max}$$

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$$f'(c) = 2c = \frac{f(2) - f(-1)}{2 - (-1)} = \frac{4 - 1}{3} = 1$$

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$$x = 0 \text{ cr. val } \neq$$

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Solutions 2007

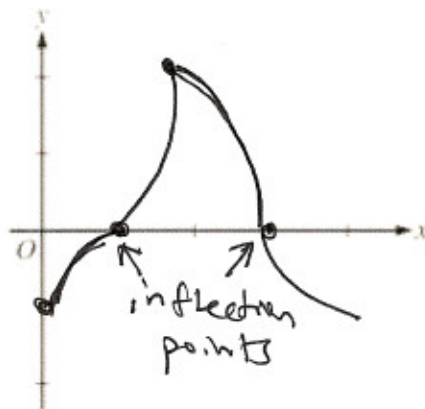
4)

x	0	$0 < x < 1$	1	$1 < x < 2$	2	$2 < x < 3$	3	$3 < x < 4$
$f(x)$	-1	Negative	0	Positive	2	Positive	0	Negative
$f'(x)$	4	Positive	0	Positive	DNE	Negative	-3	Negative
$f''(x)$	-2	Negative	0	Positive	DNE	Negative	0	Positive

Let f be a function that is continuous on the interval $[0, 4)$. The function f is twice differentiable except at $x = 2$. The function f and its derivatives have the properties indicated in the table above, where DNE indicates that the derivatives of f do not exist at $x = 2$.

- (a) For $0 < x < 4$, find all values of x at which f has a relative extremum. Determine whether f has a relative maximum or a relative minimum at each of these values. Justify your answer.
- (b) On the axes provided, sketch the graph of a function that has all the characteristics of f .

$f(2)$ is a max because
 $f'(x) > 0$ on $(1, 2)$
 $f'(x) < 0$ on $(2, 3)$



5) Use the 2nd derivative test on $f(x) = x^4 - 4x^3$ to find all possible max and mins of f .

$$f'(x) = 4x^3 - 12x^2 = 0$$

$$4x^2(x - 3) = 0$$

$$x = 0 \quad x = 3$$

$$f''(x) = 12x^2 - 24x = 0$$

$$12x(x - 2) = 0$$

$$x = 0 \quad x = 2$$

$(-\infty, 0)$ $f''(x) > 0$ concave up
 $(0, 2)$ $f''(x) < 0$ concave down
 $(2, \infty)$ $f''(x) > 0$ concave up

$f'(3) = 0$
 $f''(3) > 0$
 therefore
 $x = 3$ is a
minimum