

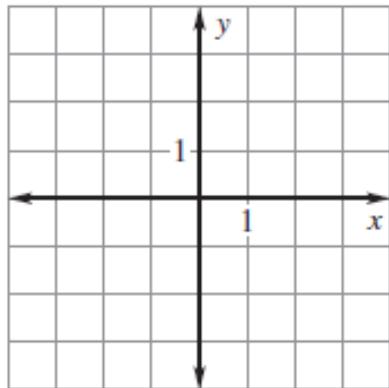
**Coordinate notation for reflections on the axes:**

**Reflection in x-axis:**  $(x, y) \rightarrow (x, -y)$  \*Multiply y-coordinate by -1

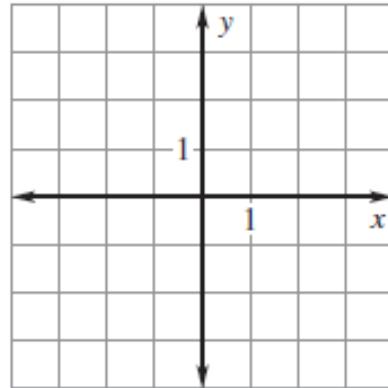
**Reflection in y-axis:**  $(x, y) \rightarrow (-x, y)$  \*Multiply x-coordinate by -1

**Example 1:** Please reflect the triangle with vertices A(1, 1), B(1, 3), C(3, 2) over the indicated axis.

a. x – axis



b. y - axis



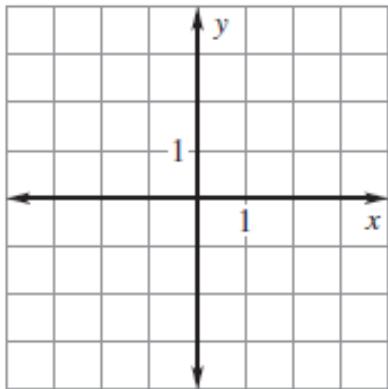
**Coordinate notation for reflections on the lines  $y=x$  and  $y=-x$ :**

**Reflection in  $y = x$ :**  $(x, y) \rightarrow (y, x)$  \*Switch x and y coordinates

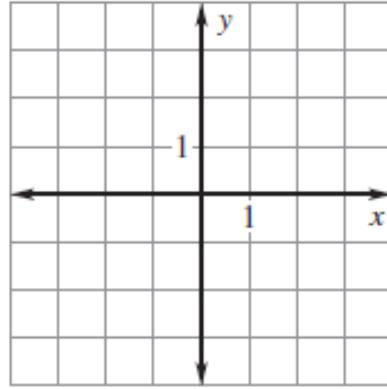
**Reflection in  $y = -x$ :**  $(x, y) \rightarrow (-y, -x)$  \*Switch x and y coordinates and multiply by -1

**Example 2:** Please reflect the triangle with vertices A(1, -2), B(3, -3), C(2, -4) over the indicated line.

a.  $y = x$

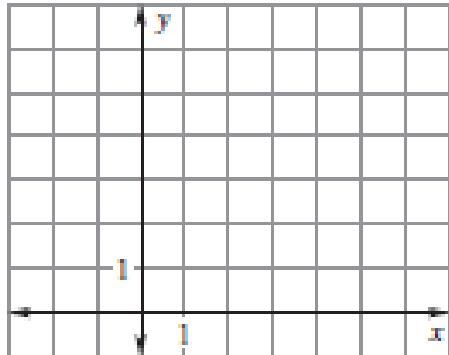


b.  $y = -x$

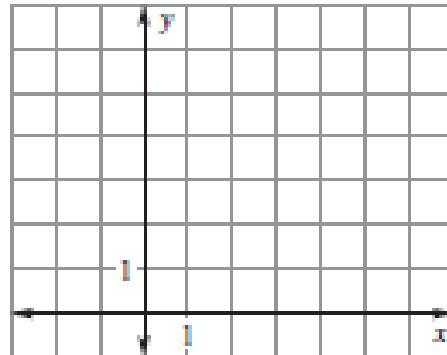


**Example 3:** The vertices of  $\triangle ABC$  are A(1, 2), B(3, 0) and C(5, 3). Please reflect over the indicated line.

a.  $x = 2$



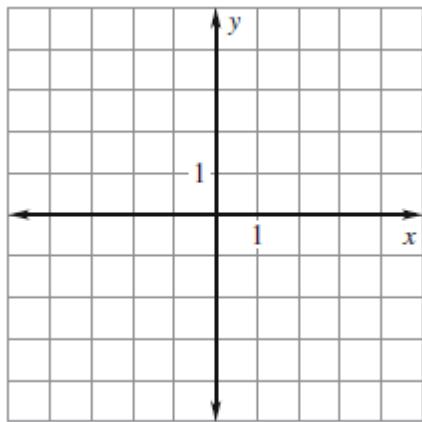
b.  $y = 3$



### Now You Try!

Reflect triangle ABC with vertices A(1, 1), B(-1, -3), and C(2, -2) over the indicated line.

1.  $y = -x$



2.  $y = 1$

