



*A, B, C and D are points on the circumference of a circle with centre O.
 ED and EB are tangents to the circle.
 AC is parallel to EB.
 Angle AOD = 44°.*

Find the value of x .

$x = \dots\dots\dots$ [4]

14 The minimum point on a quadratic curve is $(-3, -5)$.

(a) Find the equation of the line of symmetry of the curve.

$\dots\dots\dots$ [1]

(b) Write the equation of the curve in the form $y = (x + a)^2 + b$.

$y = \dots\dots\dots$ [1]