## Images in a Converging Mirror (Concave)

- The image formed by a converging mirror depends on the position of the object.
- To locate an image, any two of the following rules for rays in a converging mirror may be used:

1) A ray that is parallel to the principle axis (PA) is reflected through the focus (F)
2) A ray through the focus $(F)$ is reflected parallel to the principle axis (PA).
3) A ray that passes through the centre of the curvature $(C)$ is reflected back along the same path.


## NOTE: $F$ is always halfway between $C$ and $V$

$C$ : The centre of curvature is the center of the circle of which the mirror is a small part.

V: The vertex; where the principal axis intersects the mirror at an angle of 90 degrees.

