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1.

$$u(1/2, 1/3) = \frac{2 - \sqrt{3}}{12}$$

2.

$$u(x,y) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k \left(e^{\sqrt{\lambda_k}(x-3)} - e^{-\sqrt{\lambda_k}(x-3)} \right) \cos \lambda_k y,$$

where

$$\lambda_k = \frac{\pi}{2} \left(k + \frac{1}{2} \right)$$

and

$$a_k \left(e^{-\sqrt{\lambda_k} 3} - e^{\sqrt{\lambda_k} 3} \right) = \int_0^2 (y^2 - 4) \cos \lambda_k y dy = -\frac{2}{\lambda_k^3} \sin 2\lambda_k$$

3. Using the maximum principle for the heat equation and for the function v(x,t) = u(x,t) - x(1-x)/2, we obtain the inequalities $-1/8 \le v(x,t) \le 0$, which imply

$$-1/8 + x(1-x)/2 \le u(x,t) \le x(1-x)/2.$$

Using the maximum principle for the function w(x,t) = u(x,t) - t we obtain that $-t \le u(x,\tau) \le 0$ for $0 \le \tau \le t$, which implies that u is nonnegative.

4. The Euler equation is

$$2u = 6u'' + 1$$

and its general solution is

$$u = \frac{1}{2} + ae^{x/\sqrt{3}} + be^{-x/\sqrt{3}}.$$

Using the boundary conditions for u we obtain

$$b = \left(\frac{3}{2} - \frac{1}{2}e^{1/\sqrt{3}}\right) \left(e^{-1/\sqrt{3}} - e^{1/\sqrt{3}}\right)$$

and

$$a = \left(\frac{3}{2} - \frac{1}{2}e^{-1/\sqrt{3}}\right)\left(e^{1/\sqrt{3}} - e^{-1/\sqrt{3}}\right)$$

Using these formulae you can calculate min.

5.

$$f''(x) = \delta'(x) - \delta(x) + 3\delta(x - 1) + h(x),$$

where h(x) = 0 for x < 1 and h(x) = 6x for x > 1.