

Paper Chase

The Academy Is...

I noticed that there were no versions of one of my favorite songs by the academy is for free, so here it is, The Academy Is s Paper Chase from Fast times at Barrington High

Main Riff (used somewhat throughout the song, usually in the chorus, you know where)

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e|-----3-3-3-----|
B|-----5-5-5-----|
G|-5-5-4-4-5-5-4-4-----|
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Eb **G#** **Cm** **Bb**
Please stand by, we ve come so far
Eb **G#** **Cm** **Bb**
These years we ve survived the ride that turned us inside out
Eb **G#** **Cm** **Bb**
Repeat after me, just scream and shout
Eb **G#** **Cm** **Bb**
It was the best of times from broken homes and battle scars
G#
To where we are

Eb **G#** **Cm**
Graduate, paper chase, we ll get out of this place
Bb **Eb** **G#**
Don t turn around, hit the highway
Cm **Bb**
Pour some liquor out for this town
Bb **G#** **Bb** **Eb** **G#**
Now that s all for us, it s last call to go

Eb **G#** **Cm** **Bb**
Roll it out, it s over now
Eb **G#** **Cm** **Bb**
We re the cast outs with messed up friends who never did fit in
Eb **G#** **Cm** **Bb**
Don t care where it ends, doesn t matter now
Eb **G#** **Cm** **Bb**
Long as we re as one we ll take the next bus destination
G#
Setting sun

Eb **G#** **Cm**

Graduate, paper chase, we ll get out of this place

Bb Eb G#

Don t turn around, hit the highway

Cm Bb

Pour some liquor out for this town

G# Bb Eb Cm

Now that s all for us, it s last call to go

REPEAT CHORUS

BRIDGE HAS NO CHORDS

REPEAT CHORUS TWICE