

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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C# **F#** **Bbm** **G#**
Please stand by, we ve come so far
C# **F#** **Bbm** **G#**
These years we ve survived the ride that turned us inside out
C# **F#** **Bbm** **G#**
Repeat after me, just scream and shout
C# **F#** **Bbm** **G#**
It was the best of times from broken homes and battle scars
F#
To where we are

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

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

C# **F#** **Bbm**

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

G# **C#** **F#**

Don t turn around, hit the highway

Bbm **G#**

Pour some liquor out for this town

F# **G#** **C#** **Bbm**

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

REPEAT CHORUS

BRIDGE HAS NO CHORDS

REPEAT CHORUS TWICE