

Expectations (Remastered)

Belle and Sebastian

Monday morning wake up knowing that you've got to go to school
Tell your mum what to expect, she says it's right out of the blue
Do you want to work at Debenham's, 'cause that's what they expect
Start in Lingerie, and Doris is your supervisor
And the head said that you always were a queer
one from the start

For careers you say you want to be remembered for your art
Your obsession gets you known throughout the school for being strange
Making life-size models of the Velvet Underground in clay
In the queue for lunch they take the
piss, you've got no appetite

And the rumour is you never go with boys and you are tight
So they jab you with a fork, you drop the tray and go berserk
While you're cleaning up the mess the teacher's looking up your skirt

Hey, you've been used
Are you calm? Settle down
Write a song, I'll sing along
Soon you will know that you are sane
You're on top of the world again
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Tell your mum what to expect, she says it's right out of the blue
Do you want to work in C&A, 'cause that's what they expect
Move to lingerie and take a feel off Joe the Storeman
Tell Veronica the secret of the boy you
never kissed

She's got everything to gain 'cause she's a fat girl with a lisp
She sticks up for you when you get aggravation from the snobs
'Cause you can't afford a blazer girl you're always wearing clogs
At the interval you lock
yourself away inside a room

Head of English gets you, asks you, "What the Hell do you think you're doing?"

"Do you think you're better than the other kids? Well get outside."

You've got permission, but you've got to make the bastard think he's right

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You're on top of the world again
Are you cool and you know

You're a star and you'll go far

Listen to me as a friend

Not just a boy who play guitar

You're on top of the world again

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