

# The Smiths

## "The Headmaster Ritual"

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Belligerent ghouls run Manchester schools  
Spineless swines, cemented minds  
Sir leads the troops, jealous of youth  
Same old suit since 1962

He does the military two-step  
Down the nape of my neck

I wanna go home, I don't want to stay  
Give up education as a bad mistake

Mid-week on the playing fields  
Sir thwacks you on the knees  
Knees you in the groin, elbow in the face  
Bruises bigger than dinner plates

I wanna go home, I don't wanna stay

Belligerent ghouls run Manchester schools  
Spineless bastards all  
Sir leads the troops, jealous of youth  
Same old jokes since 1902

He does the military two-step  
Down the nape of my neck

I want to go home, I don't want to stay  
Give up life as a bad mistake

Please excuse me from gym  
I've got this terrible cold comin' on

He grabs and devours  
He kicks me in the showers  
Kicks me in the showers  
And he grabs and devours

I want to go home, I don't want to stay

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