

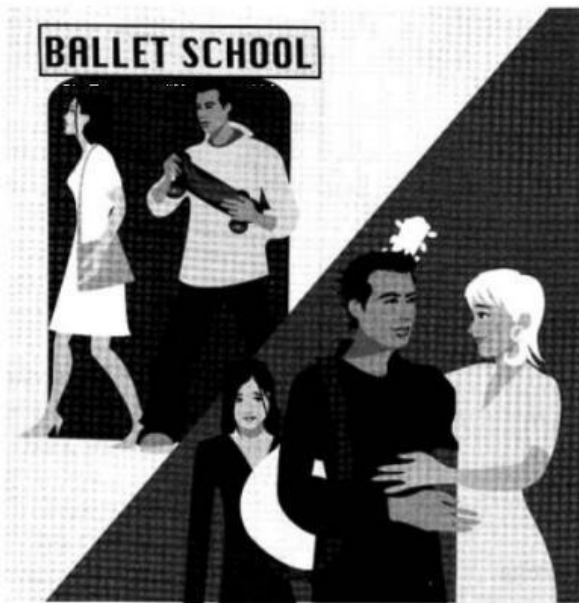
a Listen and complete the song with *a, the* or *-*.

b What do you think the moral of the song is?

Sk8er Boi

He was ¹ _____ boy, she was ² _____ girl
Can I make it any more obvious?
He was ³ _____ punk, she did ⁴ _____ ballet
What more can I say?
He wanted her, she'd never tell
Secretly she wanted him as well
But all of her friends just stuck up their nose
They had ⁵ _____ problem with his baggy clothes.

He was ⁶ _____ skater boy
She said 'See you later boy'
He wasn't good enough for her
She had ⁷ _____ pretty face
But her head was up in ⁸ _____ space
She needed to come back down to ⁹ _____ earth.



Five years from now, she sits at ¹⁰ _____ home
Feeding ¹¹ _____ baby, she's all alone
She turns on TV. Guess who she sees?
Skater boy rocking up MTV.
She calls up her friends, they already know
And they've all got tickets to see his show
She tags along, but stands in ¹² _____ crowd
Looks up at ¹³ _____ man that she turned down.

He was ¹⁴ _____ skater boy
She said, 'See you later boy'
He wasn't good enough for her
Now he's ¹⁵ _____ superstar
Slamming on his guitar
Does your pretty face see what he's worth? (Repeat)

Sorry girl but you missed out
Well tough luck, that boy's ¹⁶ _____ mine now
We are more than just ¹⁷ _____ good friends
This is how ¹⁸ _____ story ends.
Too bad that you couldn't see,
See ¹⁹ _____ man that boy could be
There is more than meets ²⁰ _____ eye
I see ²¹ _____ soul that is inside.

He's just ²² _____ boy, and I'm just ²³ _____ girl
Can I make it any more obvious?
We are in love, haven't you heard
How we rock each other's world?

I'm with ²⁴ _____ skater boy, I said see ya later boy
I'll be back stage after ²⁵ _____ show,
I'll be at ²⁶ _____ studio
singing ²⁷ _____ song we wrote
about ²⁸ _____ girl you used to know. (Repeat)

Glossary

- stuck up their nose = thought they were superior
- baggy = very loose, not tight
- rocking up = playing loud music
- tags along = goes with her friends
- she turned down = she said 'no' (to him)
- slamming on his guitar = playing his guitar loudly
- missed out = lost your opportunity
- tough luck = bad luck
- rock each other's world = make each other happy
- back stage = the place behind where the musicians play

Song facts

Sk8er Boi was originally recorded by Avril Lavigne in 2002. Some people say that the song is autobiographic.  was a worldwide hit.