



## Fill in the gaps

### Big Girls Don't Cry by Fergie

The smell of your (1)\_\_\_\_\_ lingers on me now  
You're probably on your flight back to your home town  
I need some shelter of my own protection, baby  
To be (2)\_\_\_\_\_ myself and center  
Clarity, peace, serenity  
I (3)\_\_\_\_\_ you know, I hope you know  
That this has nothing to do with you  
It's personal, myself and I  
We've got some straightenin' out to do  
And I'm gonna miss you like a (4)\_\_\_\_\_ misses their  
blanket  
But I've got to get a move on with my life  
It's time to be a big girl now  
And big girls don't cry  
Don't cry, don't cry, don't cry  
The path that I'm walkin', I must go alone  
I must take the baby steps 'til I'm full grown, full grown  
Fairy tales don't always have a happy ending, do they?  
And I foresee the (5)\_\_\_\_\_ ahead if I stay  
I hope you know, I hope you know  
That this has nothing to do with you  
It's personal, myself and I  
We've got some straightenin' out to do  
And I'm gonna miss you like a child misses (6)\_\_\_\_\_  
blanket  
But I've got to get a move on with my life  
It's time to be a big girl now  
And big girls don't cry  
Like the little school mate in the school yard

We'll play jacks and Uno cards  
I'll be (7)\_\_\_\_\_ best friend and you'll be mine  
Valentine  
Yes, you can hold my hand if you want to  
'Cause I want to (8)\_\_\_\_\_ yours too  
We'll be playmates and lovers  
And share our secret worlds  
But it's time for me to go home  
It's getting late, dark outside  
I need to be with myself, and center  
Clarity, peace, serenity  
I hope you know, I hope you know  
That this has nothing to do with you  
It's personal, myself and I  
We've got some straightenin' out to do  
And I'm gonna miss you like a child misses their blanket  
But I've got to get a move on with my life  
It's time to be a big girl now  
And big girls don't cry  
Don't cry, don't cry, don't cry

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Answer

1. skin
2. with
3. hope
4. child
5. dark
6. their
7. your
8. hold