



## Fill in the gaps

### Rumour by Chia Hui How

When she turned (1)\_\_\_\_\_ she went astray  
With her brother's dealer, so they say  
She had a baby yesterday  
Perhaps it's just a rumour  
(2)\_\_\_\_\_ kept her prisoner growing up  
Told her Jesus was enough  
She's really into (3)\_\_\_\_\_ stuff  
Perhaps it's just a rumour  
And if you asked her she'd say:  
I'm just trying to work out  
How to be (4)\_\_\_\_\_ myself  
I'm (5)\_\_\_\_\_ trying to (6)\_\_\_\_\_ out  
These (7)\_\_\_\_\_ I've been dealt  
See that girl she's looking great  
She used to be (8)\_\_\_\_\_ over weight  
She may not be (9)\_\_\_\_\_ straight  
(10)\_\_\_\_\_ is (11)\_\_\_\_\_ a rumour  
Always did as she was (12)\_\_\_\_\_  
Apparently she's on the dole  
Spends it all on alcohol  
Perhaps it's just a rumour  
I'm just trying to work out  
How to be like myself  
I'm (13)\_\_\_\_\_ trying to work out  
These (14)\_\_\_\_\_ I've been dealt  
Because she did it, she did it  
My bed is forbidden  
He's fitting she isn't  
She keeps her face hidden  
She told them: good riddance

Her (15)\_\_\_\_\_ got with him  
She wishes she didn't  
And now they're all singing  
I'm (16)\_\_\_\_\_ trying to work out  
How to be like myself  
I'm just trying to (17)\_\_\_\_\_ out  
(18)\_\_\_\_\_ (19)\_\_\_\_\_ I've (20)\_\_\_\_\_  
dealt  
I'm just trying to work out  
How to be like myself  
I'm (21)\_\_\_\_\_ (22)\_\_\_\_\_ to work out  
These cards I've been dealt  
(23)\_\_\_\_\_ she did it, she did it  
My bed is forbidden  
He's fitting she isn't  
She keeps her (24)\_\_\_\_\_ hidden  
She (25)\_\_\_\_\_ (26)\_\_\_\_\_ (27)\_\_\_\_\_ riddance  
Her sister got with him  
She wishes she didn't  
And now they're all singing  
I'm just trying to work out  
How to be like myself  
I'm just trying to work out  
These cards I've been dealt  
I'm just trying to (28)\_\_\_\_\_ out  
How to be like myself  
I'm just trying to work out  
These cards I've been dealt



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**Answer**

1. thirteen
2. They
3. dirty
4. like
5. just
6. work
7. cards
8. quite
9. entirely
10. Perhaps
11. just
12. told
13. just
14. cards
15. sister
16. just
17. work
18. These
19. cards
20. been
21. just
22. trying
23. Because
24. face
25. told
26. them
27. good
28. work