

Word Up by Cameo

[Verse 1]

F# E  
You pretty ladies around the world  
D E F# E F#  
Got a wierd thing to show you so tell all the boys and girls  
D  
Tell your brother, your sister and your mama, too  
D E F# E F#  
we're about to go down and you know just what to do  
F# E  
Wave your hands in the air like you don't care  
D E F# E F#  
Glide by the people as they start to look and stare  
F# E D  
Do your dance, do your dance, do your dance quick, mama  
E F# E F#  
Come on baby, tell me what's the word

[Chorus]

F# E  
Now - word up,up ,up everybody say  
D E F# E F#  
When you hear the call you got to get it underway  
F# E D E  
Word up, it's the code word, no matter where you say it  
F# E F#  
You'll know that you'll be heard

[Verse 2]

F# E  
Now all you sucker DJs who think you're fly  
D E F# E F#  
There's got to be a reason and we know the reason why  
F# E  
You try to put on those airs and act real cool  
F# E F# E F#  
But you got to realize that you're acting like fools  
F# E  
If there's music we can use it, we're free to dance  
D E F# E F#  
We don't have that time for psychological romance  
F# E D  
No romance, no romance, no romance for me, mama  
E F# E F#  
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