

# WHAT IS A ZINE?



SHORT FOR 'MAGAZINE'  
OR 'FANZINE'

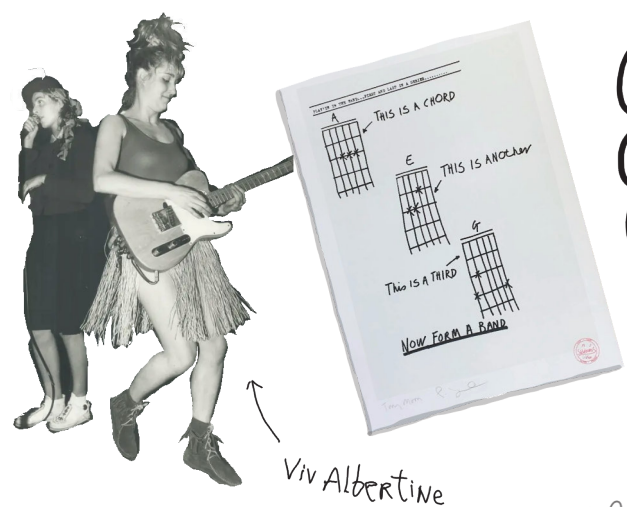
ZINES ARE MADE CHEAPLY, eg PHOTOCOPIED  
THERE'S NO PRESSURE FOR THEM TO BE BEAUTIFUL OR PERFECT.  
A ZINE IS NOT POLISHED OR PROFESSIONAL.  
"ZINES ARE MADE FOR PASSION, NOT PROFIT!" - Sarah Mirk

## ZINES STARTED FROM PUNK

THE WHOLE IDEA OF PUNK IS THAT YOU CAN

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YOU DON'T HAVE TO KNOW HOW TO PLAY MUSIC TO BE IN A PUNK BAND...



...AND YOU DON'T NEED TO KNOW HOW TO DRAW, OR DESIGN, OR PRINT, TO MAKE A ZINE (even though all those things are much easier now we have computers).

## WHAT YOU CAN DO WITH A ZINE:

- GET A POINT ACROSS ♡ ACCORDING TO ♡ @bethmadethis
- TRY OUT IDEAS
- RECORD A THOUGHT OR AN EVENT. or a talk!
- PHOTOCOPY THEM AND HAND THEM OUT.
- SELL THEM ONLINE OR AT A ZINE FAIR. cheap!
- IF IT DIDN'T COME OUT WELL, WHO CARES? JUST THROW IT AWAY AND START AGAIN. then →
- MAKE ANOTHER ONE.

## ZINE MAKERS TO CHECK OUT

- RACHAEL HOUSE: @rachaellhouse on Instagram (two 'l's)
- SARAH MIRK: search for hashtag #yearofzines on Instagram
- HOLLY CASIO: @hollycasio on Instagram