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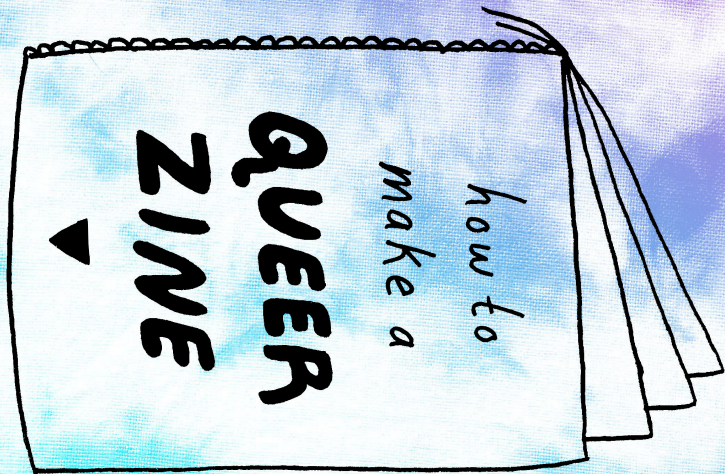
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WHAT DO YOU WISH YOU COULD TELL
THE WORLD ABOUT QUEERNESS?
YOUR QUEERNESS?

SO, WHAT WILL
YOU MAKE?

IS THERE ANYTHING THAT YOU
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how to
make a
queer
zine



HOW TO GET YOUR ZINES
TO THE WORLD

- ★ ZINE FESTS
- ★ OPEN MICS
- ★ ZINE DISTROS
- ★ ETSY
- ★ OTHER SITES
- ★ ART GALLERIES
- ★ COLLEGE CAMPUSES
- ★ ZINE LIBRARIES
- ★ LITTLE FREE LIBRARIES
- ★ PUBLIC LIBRARIES
- ★ W/ ZINE COLLECTIONS
- ★ WRITE ON THE BACK THAT PPL ARE WELCOME TO MAKE COPIES & SHARE THEM

EXACTLY DOES
QUEER MEAN?

ALSO, QUEER IS AN UMBRELLA TERM
THAT CAN INCLUDE MANY DIFFERENT
SEXUAL ORIENTATIONS & GENDER
IDENTITIES, LIKE GAY, LESBIAN,
BISEXUAL, PANSEXUAL, ETC.

WHY QUEER ZINES?

ZINES ARE A UNIQUELY UNCEMPORED
ACCESSIBLE WAY TO SHARE INFO,
IDEAS, STORIES, & SELF EXPRESSION.
YOU CAN MAKE & DISTRIBUTE
THEM WITHOUT ANY SPECIALIZED
SKILLS OR EXPENSIVE TOOLS.

2. DICTATING WHAT YOU CAN INCLUDE.
OPTION FOR PEOPLE WHO MAY NOT BE ACCEPTED
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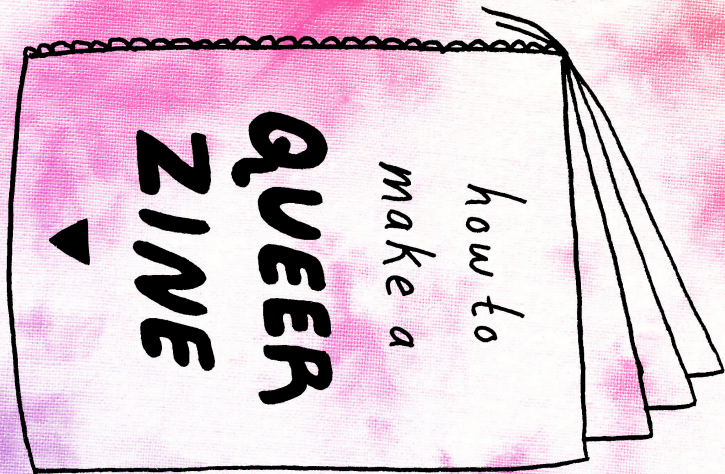
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SLIDING SCALE OPTIONS: COST OF
PRINTING + COST OF THE TIME IT
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REASONABLE LOWEST PRICE.

THERE IS NO SHAME IN CHARGING;
YOUR WORK IS VALUABLE! DON'T
STRESS TOO MUCH ABOUT PICKING
THE PERFECT PRICE - YOU CAN
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~~FIGURING OUT~~
WHETHER TO CHARGE

OK, NOW LET'S TALK ABOUT ZINES!

YOU ALREADY KNOW HOW TO
MAKE A ZINE.

ZINES ARE JUST INDEPENDENTLY
MADE BOOKLETS. YOU COULD FOLD
A PIECE OF PAPER INTO FOURTHS,
WRITE OR Doodle ON IT, & THERE
YOU GO - YOU'VE MADE A ZINE!

THE SKILLS YOU NEED FOR MAKING
A GREAT ZINE ARE INSIDE OF YOU!

YOU HAVE INTERESTING IDEAS, A
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FOLDING A ZINE LIKE THIS ONE.

TIME.

SCREW HETERO-NORMATIVITY!

THE WORD QUEER REJECTS SOCIETY'S
EFFORTS TO MAKE EVERYONE FIT INTO
NARROW BOXES OF WHAT GENDER &
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