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“Cupcakes Are the Enemy of Feminism”: Making Zines with Rachael House

Zines are crucial to the comics scene – representing DIY and activist elements. UK-based artist Rachael House’s¹ zines are fundamentally feminist and political, like the one shown here. *Stop It Now Please* criticizes the glorification and improper naming of the vulva.

With this exercise, you will learn how to fold a zine and see an example of how to use it in feminist activism. Now, let’s read Rachael’s zine together:



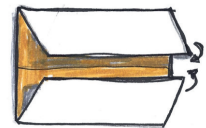
1 www.instagram.com/rachaellhouse.



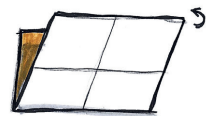
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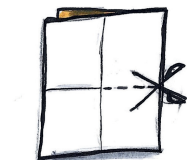
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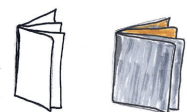
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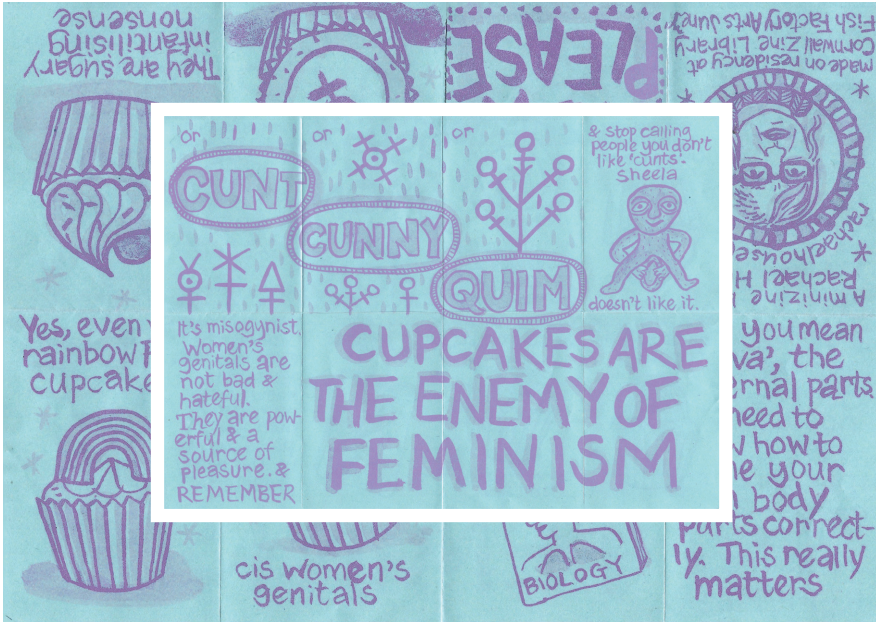
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push in from both sides



Zine!



Bibliography

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Folding Instructions: Michael Litschauer

