



## The A to X of Alternative Music

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Bloomsbury Academic. Paperback. Book Condition: New. Paperback. 320 pages. Dimensions: 9.4in. x 7.4in. x 0.9in. What do ACDC and Aphex Twin have in common David Bowie and Butthole Surfers The Clash and the Chemical Brothers On the surface, very little. Yet they are all representative of the most important movement in modern music - Alternative. What makes these acts alternative And why do we care The A to X of Alternative Music answers these questions. Based on a show on pioneering London-based radio station Xfm, this is both the story of the greatest music ever made and an investigation into what it means to be cutting-edge. The book covers global giants like Bob Dylan, Prince, Nirvana and Radiohead; cult favourites like Joy Division, the Pixies, the Sex Pistols and the Velvet Underground; as well as lesser-known pioneers like Can, Fela Kuti, MC5 and Spacemen 3.



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