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Books about being in a band

Block, Francesca Lia. *Cherokee Bat and the Goat Guys.*

YA FIC BLO

With their parents away, four young people form a rock band that becomes wildly popular.



Krovatin, Christopher. *Heavy Metal and You.* **YA FIC KRO**

High schooler Sam begins losing himself when he falls for a preppy girl who wants him to give up getting wasted with his best friends and even his passion for heavy metal music in order to become a better person.

Cohn, Rachel and David Levithan. *Nick and Norah's Infinite Playlist.*

YA FIC COH

High school student Nick O'Leary, member of a rock band, meets college-bound Norah Silverberg and asks her to be his girlfriend for five minutes in order to avoid his ex-sweetheart.

Lane, Dakota. *Orpheus Obsession.*

YA FIC LAN

Sixteen-year-old Anooshka Star who has a tumultuous relationship with her mother, becomes obsessed with a rock singer and follows him into his world, and an unexpected death magnifies her troubles.

Dent, Grace. *LBD: it's a Girl Thing.*

YA FIC DEN

Barred by their overprotective parents from attending a rock music festival, fourteen-year-olds Ronnie, Fleur, and Claude, also known as "Les Bambinos Dangereuses," decide to stage their own music festival at Blackwell School.

Nelson, Blake. *Rock Star, Superstar.*

YA FIC NEL

When Pete, a talented bass player, moves from playing in the high school jazz band to playing in a popular rock group, he finds the experience exhilarating even as his new fame jeopardizes his relationship with girlfriend Margaret.

Dessen, Sarah. *This Lullaby.* **YA FIC DES**

Raised by a mother who's had five husbands, eighteen-year-old Remy believes in short-term, no-commitment relationships until she meets Dexter, a rock band musician.

Portman, Frank. *King Dork.* **YA FIC POR**

High school loser Tom Henderson discovers that "The Catcher in the Rye" may hold the clues to the many mysteries in his life. Almost every day, Tom and his best friend come up with new band names.

Going, Kelly. *Fat Kid Rules the World.*

YA FIC GOI

Seventeen-year-old Troy, depressed, suicidal, and weighing nearly 300 pounds, gets a new perspective on life when a homeless teenager who is a genius on guitar wants Troy to be the drummer in his rock band.

Westerfeld, Scott. *The Last Days.* **YA FIC WES**

As an ancient evil stirs beneath the streets of New York City, infecting rats and people like a plague, five quirky teens come together to form a "New Sound" band whose music seems to have paranormal power.

Korman, Gordon. *Born to Rock.* **YA FIC KOR**

High school senior Leo Caraway, a conservative Republican, learns that his biological father is a punk rock legend.

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