

Who is the person behind the famous song „Play Date“? –

Melanie Martinez is a singer songwriter you should get to know!

Many of you may not know who Melanie Martinez is, but you probably know her song „Play Date“, which is currently popular on TIKTOK.

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If you`ve never heard of Melanie Martinez, you definitely missed something. There is no reason not to be a fan of her! Her song “Play Date”, which is the fourteenth track on her debut album “Cry Baby” is actually very popular on TIK TOK with over 1.9 billion views for the month!



Melanie took part in the American talent show “The Voice”

Melanie Adele Martinez was born on the 28th April 1995. She is a singer, songwriter, also an actress, a director, photographer and a screenwriter. She got famous because of the American TV show „The Voice“. She didn’t win the show, but her coach helped her to get started with her career. With the help of her coach, she released her first album „Cry Baby“ in 2015 and her song „Carousel“ from that album was even used in the trailer of „Horror Story“! She flashes the world with a new music style, which is a mixture of Alternative and Pop.

In 2019 Melanie released her second album „K-12“ and with this album she also presents a movie that is about school and the feelings of teenage girls.

Melanie herself is bisexual and had a pretty hard time with her coming out, because she grew up in a latin and conservative household. Her family is now supporting her, which makes Melanie very happy and proud. As a kid, Melanie was very emotional and cried a lot, which inspired the creation of her album „Cry Baby“. She began writing poetry and singing at a young age and was always very creative.

Melanie is also involved in political matters like Black Lives Matter Movement

Her fanbase are mostly teenagers and young adults, which is great, because Melanie is a role model for a lot of people. On her Instagram account @littlebodybigheart she’s actively posting about the BLM movement and supports people who are black, trans, gay or people who suffer discrimination in general. Melanie also supports petitions and helps to raise awareness on other current issues.

Her music is a true piece of art

Her song „Play Date“ started getting popular on TIKTOK because of someone, who made a challenge with an edit of this song. Melanie is very happy about it because she gained a lot of attention and new fans. Her newest album „After School“ which contains seven songs will be released soon and her fans are very excited about it. Especially because her previous albums were a true piece of art!

