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## 13 womxn in music on advice they'd give to their younger selves

International Women's Day is coming up.

This Sunday (8 March) marks the next IWD. It's 2020 and the world has significantly changed since the first Women's Day in 1909, but, unequivocally, more needs to be done. As Gen Y-ers are growing up to be the first true digital natives and Gen Z-ers are still struggling to understand TikTok, sometimes a spot of advice is needed.

For this year's annual celebration, we asked some of our favourite artists to look back on their younger selves, and tell us what advice they'd give. From when to stop smoking cigarettes to pushing through the fear of failure, here's what 13 womxn in music said. Scroll down for words of wisdom from Brooke Candy, Jayda G, Octo Octa, Christine Sun Kim, Ciel and more.

### **Christine Sun Kim**

It's totally OK to be angry. Don't let people tell you otherwise. Your anger is justified and will take you places, as long as you don't let it consume you. Get used to rejection fast because it's inevitably part of the process and be open about it. Document everything because you will actually make history. The more art you make, the more visibility you create for Deaf people in a history that is written by non-Deaf people.

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