

The Guardian and Observer style guide

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'I am a cliché you've seen before, I am a cliché that lives next door. I am a cliché you know what I mean, I am a cliché, pink is obscene.' **X-Ray Spex**

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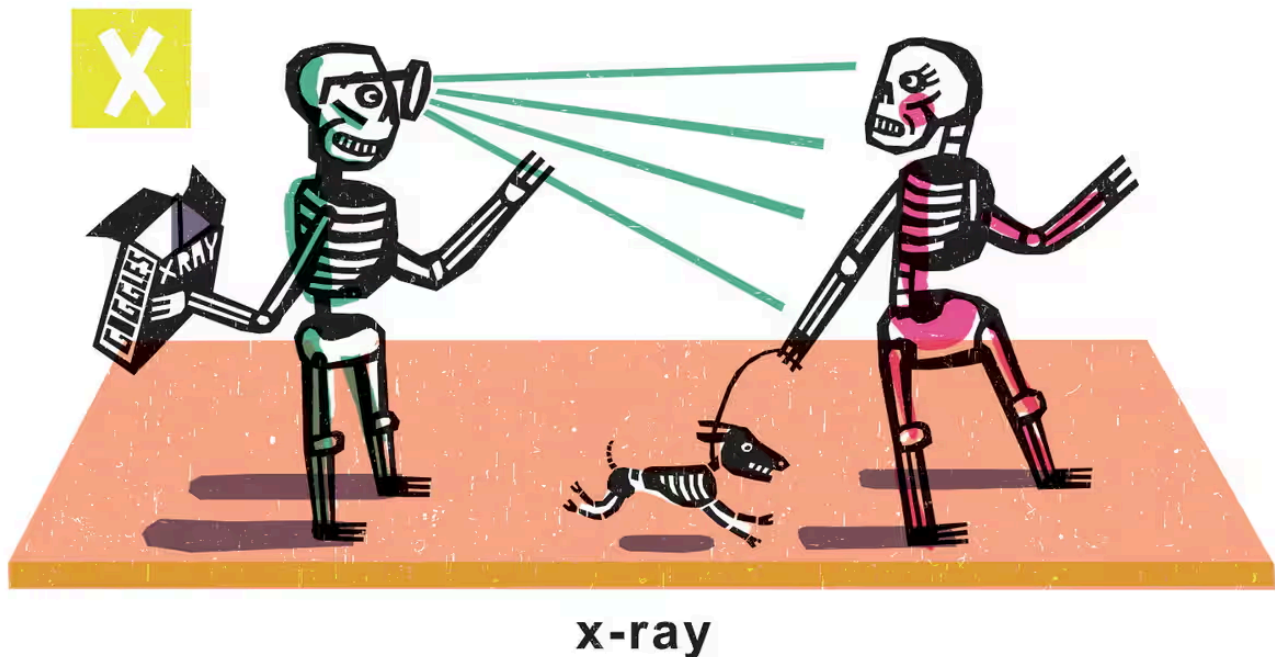


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Xbox

xenophobe, xenophobia, xenophobic

Xerox

TM; say photocopy

XFM

network of three radio stations: XFM London, XFM Manchester, and XFM Scotland

Xhosa

South African ethnic group and language

Xi'an

city in China where the Terracotta Warriors are located

Xinjiang

a region of China, not a province

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Xmas

Christmas is preferable unless you are writing a headline, up against a deadline, and desperate (or quoting Slade’s Merry Xmas Everybody)

X-ray

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SpongeBob-themed hardcore metal band

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