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Posted by [Rocko](#) on Sun, 02 Dec 2007 07:55:05 GMT

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?

Posted by [Ethenal](#) on Sun, 02 Dec 2007 08:28:39 GMT

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I hate most, if not all, forms of anime.

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?

Posted by [Oblivion165](#) on Sun, 02 Dec 2007 13:34:20 GMT

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Thank god someone of your generation hates it, I've been trying to convert Nicholas for years now.

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?

Posted by [Muad Dib15](#) on Sun, 02 Dec 2007 13:48:02 GMT

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I think most of the shit they have now is gay, but there were some good shows on back in the day (2003 and down). Now there is just junk on Cartoon network and 4KidsTv and Kids WB.

DragonballZ ftw.

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?

Posted by [Dover](#) on Sun, 02 Dec 2007 14:13:29 GMT

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Anime blows.

Although I do enjoy Speed Racer. Does that count as anime?

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?

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Posted by [Lone0001](#) on Sun, 02 Dec 2007 14:54:46 GMT

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My Favourite anime show would have to be one called Gun Sword

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?

Posted by [Caveman](#) on Sun, 02 Dec 2007 15:41:40 GMT

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Ghost in the Shell is the only anime I enjoy, with that being said, I haven't really sat down and tried to get into any other anime.

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Posted by [Jecht](#) on Sun, 02 Dec 2007 16:48:51 GMT

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I like anime. Note Sephiroth in my avatar.

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?

Posted by [R315r4z0r](#) on Sun, 02 Dec 2007 17:28:23 GMT

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Lol...

Dp I like anime?

I think I might be the largest Anime fan on these forums... lol

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Posted by [Canadacdn](#) on Sun, 02 Dec 2007 17:29:32 GMT

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You sir, have no idea what your talking about...

Let me explain why:

both "Girl" and "Boy" respectfully. Their target age ranges to children up to the age 18.

Kodomo is a category for early childhood and basically kids who are still learning to read.

Pokemon, One Piece, Sonic X all fall under the Kodomo category.

Now I'm not disagreeing with you that there are other Animes aimed at Adults. I mean there are

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?

Posted by [z310](#) on Sun, 02 Dec 2007 23:26:39 GMT

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I'm not into anime.

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [BlueThen](#) on Mon, 03 Dec 2007 01:23:59 GMT  
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Yea, anime is gay and has more emotions than a dramatic girl, but I do like how they sometimes actually try in the animation, and the effort that is put into the animes.

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [nikki6ixx](#) on Mon, 03 Dec 2007 03:26:35 GMT  
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I don't like anime, and it creeps me out when dudes who are 17-18 years old watch those shows.

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [R315r4z0r](#) on Mon, 03 Dec 2007 04:07:18 GMT  
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Lol, you find me a single person who is under the age of 10 and watches Elfen Lied....

Hell, find me the parent of a 10 year old who would ALLOW their kid to watch Elfen Lied...

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [\[NE\]Fobby\[GEN\]](#) on Mon, 03 Dec 2007 04:47:34 GMT  
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Yeah.

DBZ's really the only anime I like. I don't like all the others they try to introduce every year.

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [KIRBY-098](#) on Mon, 03 Dec 2007 05:23:52 GMT  
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I do not like anime, man.

I do not like it Sam I am.

Perhaps the scariest thing about it is the furrie subset.  
FullSail was full of anime loving weirdos, one of whom actually skipped a final to go to a furry convention. That's a huge no no there, but he felt it was very important to go dress up as a

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raccoon and sing in japanese.

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Posted by [Aprime](#) on Mon, 03 Dec 2007 07:17:26 GMT  
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It's like, all the same, with boring plots.

I don't get why this stuff still catches on, but I don't get a lot of things.

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Posted by [Dover](#) on Mon, 03 Dec 2007 08:50:32 GMT  
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Imao, I remember watching the first episode of that, You see her bewbs.

Hellsing is the only anime I could watch, Because it has blazin' gun action and vampires.

too bad it got axed. D:

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [Caveman](#) on Mon, 03 Dec 2007 13:32:08 GMT  
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Posted by [trooprm02](#) on Mon, 03 Dec 2007 13:45:31 GMT

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Canada isn't apart of the British empire, You fool.

And Anime is for everyone, though, you always talk about people being sexually abused, was you sexually abused, troop?

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You have something you'd like to get of your chest? Also please do explain how everyone that watches something like South Park or The Simpsons was sexually abused.

Once again you've shown that you really are just an idiotic child that doesn't have many friends outside his computer monitor.

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [nikki6ixx](#) on Mon, 03 Dec 2007 17:34:44 GMT  
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I seriously doubt my tax dollars go to psychiatric therapy, because, last time I checked, Medicare does not subsidize that stuff.

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [R315r4z0r](#) on Mon, 03 Dec 2007 20:08:49 GMT  
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It all depends on your tastes. If you just say you don't like Anime and that is it, than you're not being truthful.

By saying you don't like any and all forms of Anime is exactly the same as saying I don't like to watch TV. Which may be true in some cases, but in this case I don't think so.

However, I think your basing your argument off of cartoons made in English, like Loony Toons, Tom and Jerry, Spongebob, ect. Those are COMPLETELY different. The only similarities is that they are made with drawings... that is about it..

And you also said, to which I already responded, "Cartoons for adults, grow up"

So what about Cartoons like Family Guy, South Park, The Simpsons, King of the Hill?

Dover wrote on Mon, 03 December 2007 03:50Speed Racer doesn't count as Anime, does it?  
Yes, yes it does.

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Posted by [BlueThen](#) on Mon, 03 Dec 2007 20:44:52 GMT  
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I guess you're right, anime is a art style Japanese style, not animations made in Japan.  
<http://dictionary.reference.com/browse/anime>

But uh... I'm guessing the big eyed basic "Power Puff Girls" style and the complex "FLCL" like style are both different types of anime?

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [R315r4z0r](#) on Mon, 03 Dec 2007 21:35:07 GMT  
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Yea. Lol.

I believe the large eyes are supposed to show emotion better, but don't quote me on that. I heard it was the same reason why they made that kiddy-graphic version of Zelda. (Wind Waker)

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [Jecht](#) on Tue, 04 Dec 2007 00:20:04 GMT  
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Anime is not all for kids. Not even Naruto Shippuuden is for kids. There's alot of adult themes in it. For instance, here is part of the subtitles of one of the epidodes I downloaded:

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Posted by [Muad Dib15](#) on Tue, 04 Dec 2007 02:26:52 GMT  
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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [Starbuzz](#) on Tue, 04 Dec 2007 05:56:43 GMT  
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What is anime?

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [R315r4z0r](#) on Tue, 04 Dec 2007 21:56:07 GMT  
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It's a form of animation entertainment. Very popular in its place of origin in Japan, and has spread across the globe to many different countries.

Stuff that looks something like this:

<http://www.techshout.com/images/anime-in-india.jpg>

Or this

<http://www.columbia.edu/cu/anime/images/chibi.jpg>

Or this

[http://www.markfox.org/images/elfen\\_lied\\_06.jpg](http://www.markfox.org/images/elfen_lied_06.jpg)

or this

<http://comicsmedia.ign.com/comics/image/article/812/812641/jessica-chobot-anime-statues-announced-20070813040948913-000.jpg>

or Suzumiya

[http://farm2.static.flickr.com/1181/896228097\\_3dbdd298eb\\_o.jpg](http://farm2.static.flickr.com/1181/896228097_3dbdd298eb_o.jpg)

or ... well you get the point

<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Anime>

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [Starbuzz](#) on Wed, 05 Dec 2007 21:20:19 GMT  
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Hey razor, that's a great post to explain. I know I could have googled it but I was lazy.

Anyway, thank you for taking the time to post such a well-written answer. Cheers!

Then in that case, does Speed Racer count as anime? If it is, then I guess that is my favorite.

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [R315r4z0r](#) on Wed, 05 Dec 2007 21:40:15 GMT  
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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [Dreganius](#) on Thu, 06 Dec 2007 12:06:00 GMT  
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Well then.

I'm typing this message after watching like 4 episodes of FMA.

That answers your question.

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [R315r4z0r](#) on Thu, 06 Dec 2007 15:32:50 GMT  
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Lol, FMA is what started my collection. Definitely one of the best

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [firazero](#) on Thu, 06 Dec 2007 15:41:21 GMT  
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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [bisen11](#) on Thu, 06 Dec 2007 16:43:51 GMT  
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Some anime is good, some is bad. Just like some cartoons are good and some are bad. Or shows with real actors. I wouldn't base my decision on just the way they choose to tell the story :/ .

It's also how I really dislike poetry, but not all is bad.

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No way! I want an anime channel in the States  
btw <3 FMA. Bleach is okay, but I haven't seen many of them.

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Posted by [R315r4z0r](#) on Thu, 06 Dec 2007 19:47:05 GMT  
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They have the FUNimagtion channel, but you need to ask your providers for it if you don't already get it.

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Nice to see Troop dodging this thread. He has posted elsewhere but avoided this thread I wonder why, lol.

Hellsing is another good anime for y'all to watch if you haven't already.

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [liquidv2](#) on Fri, 07 Dec 2007 11:36:51 GMT  
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Quote:^^ Quote everything said above my post

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [F1r3st0rm](#) on Sat, 08 Dec 2007 05:36:49 GMT  
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The only 2 anime shows I like are BECK and The Boondocks.

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [w0dka](#) on Sat, 08 Dec 2007 22:17:04 GMT  
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I like One Piece, Hellsing and Noir but i'm not that guy running in circles and counts the seconds to the next episodes... The stories from are sometimes pretty amazing.... but indeed i also hate most other animes like naruto, dragonball etc...

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [Trio](#) on Sun, 09 Dec 2007 05:22:40 GMT  
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i'm azn so i have to like anime or my ancestors will come back from the dead and hang me ^\_^  
kekekekekeke

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [Feetseek](#) on Thu, 13 Dec 2007 06:21:08 GMT  
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The Boondocks is an anime? Never knew that

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [superj69](#) on Fri, 14 Dec 2007 06:42:29 GMT  
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ROFLMAO....

ne way....

FMA = awesome  
Bleach = best  
Naruto = Incredible  
Gundam wing = amazing

btw, someone mentioned elfen lied..... DUDE THAT SHOW IS SO FREAKING GROSS...2 friends of mine showed me the first episode when i was eating lunch one day..... i hit them right after because i was eating XD

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that episode was hilarious XD

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Posted by [Beanyhead](#) on Fri, 14 Dec 2007 07:19:26 GMT  
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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [IronWarrior](#) on Fri, 14 Dec 2007 11:52:10 GMT  
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I grow up watching manga, but I've started to like alot of the new anime out there, things like Claymore and Kenichi are great.

There is nothing wrong with it, it is just the same as a Disney movie.

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Posted by [R315r4z0r](#) on Fri, 14 Dec 2007 20:45:13 GMT  
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But you need to watch it to read it.

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?

Posted by [Nineball](#) on Sat, 15 Dec 2007 03:25:53 GMT

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Err, manga is the Japanese equivalent of a comic book. You can only read them.

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You can't fap to Garfield.

You can fap to mangas.

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Quote:

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Posted by [Ryu](#) on Sat, 15 Dec 2007 15:13:40 GMT  
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Coveman wrote on Sat, 15 December 2007 14:32  
Im going to quote a line from my quote bot.

Quote:

<@Source> YOU GO GIRL snap snap snap

oh no you didn't!

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [Caveman](#) on Sat, 15 Dec 2007 15:17:24 GMT  
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I was waiting for someone to reply with that, lol.

Back on topic; Anime is great y'all just need to give it a chance. Theres anime about everything now'n'days so you've got loads to choose from.

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [R315r4z0r](#) on Sun, 16 Dec 2007 00:32:57 GMT  
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IronWarrior wrote on Fri, 14 December 2007 23:22  
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<http://www.manga.co.uk/>

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Posted by [Dreganius](#) on Sun, 16 Dec 2007 06:59:34 GMT  
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Firstly: @Nineball: w00t Armored Core rules!

Secondly: Anime should be seen by everyone who makes a post in this thread before posting a "OMG ITS LIEK TEH WORST SH17 EVAR!" response.

Thirdly: +1 and Rocko is a troll.

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [Feetseek](#) on Sun, 16 Dec 2007 07:41:53 GMT  
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I just don't like how some people think, "Wow, kids and geeks watch; therefore, it must suck" without giving it a chance.

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [IronWarrior](#) on Sun, 16 Dec 2007 07:57:18 GMT  
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Let's not.

Anime is westen made crap like pokemon, this covers books and tv.

Manga is jap made of ownage, this covers books and tv.

Enough said.

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?

Posted by [R315r4z0r](#) on Sun, 16 Dec 2007 16:49:29 GMT

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I can't even begin to tell you how wrong you are.

First of all Anime isn't western made, it is made in Japan. Pokemon is Japanese, not western.

Manga is a "Graphic Novel" it is a book. Anime is the ANIMATION of the book.

If you don't believe me I will show you:

This is the original Manga version of InuYasha (Episode 1)

<http://www.onemanga.com/Inuyasha/1/01/>

This is the InuYasha official website:

<http://www.avexmovie.jp/lineup/inuyasya/index.html>

Scroll down on this page to see all the names and languages that the original JAPANESE show was dubbed into.

<http://www.animenewsnetwork.com/encyclopedia/anime.php?id=159>

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Full Metal Panic:

On this page you can see all the Manga on sale, then scroll down you can see the Anime on sale.

<http://www.justmanga.com/browse.cfm?anime=Full%20Metal%20Panic>

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This is the Naruto Manga version of Episode 1

<http://www.onemanga.com/Naruto/0/>

This is the official Naruto website:

<http://www.tv-tokyo.co.jp/anime/naruto/>

<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Naruto>

Read the side bar, you can see that it was created in Japanese, and licensed in English! And

something "western made" not be licensed in English?!

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Bleach:

Episode one of Bleach

<http://www.onemanga.com/Bleach/1/>

<http://www.bleachportal.net/>

This site gets the weekly airings of Bleach from Japan and streams them on their site. Later on they are fansubbed in English. Note what episode they are up to: 152.

In English, they where only able to get up to episode 42.

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GitS. (Ghost in the Shell)

No online scans, so here:

<http://www.animenewsnetwork.com/encyclopedia/manga.php?id=1590>

Look at the staff. Why would the English companies need a "translator."

And why doesn't either company, Japanese or English, need any voice actors? Don't say they haven't hired them yet, this Manga was made in 1989.

Same site under the Anime form:

<http://www.animenewsnetwork.com/encyclopedia/anime.php?id=910>

Notice all the staff members? Those are all the voice actors for the animated series.

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In conclusion, this is how it works.

Manga is made in Japan. If a manga is popular, is licensed and distributed as an English translated Graphic Noval. A manga is a Graphic Novel, or something similar to a comic book. Go to a book store and look under "Graphic Novels" you can see for yourself.

Anyway, after the Manga, if it gets enough publicity and people like it, they decide to make it into an Anime. Keep in mind that this is still in Japan. If the Anime receives enough attention, than some other out of country licensees might notice it.

finished up the 14 episode series The Melancholy of Haruhi Suzumiya. (or Suzumiya Haruhi no

So yea, a licensee, such as VIS Media licenses a Japanese Anime, than a distribution company steps in, such as FUNimation, ADV Films, Bandai Entertainment, ect, step in with their cast of English voice actors and they create the episode audio dubs. Which they then sell off monthly as DVDs.

Like I said before, I don't know where you got the idea that Anime was western created, but I can tell you right now, it isn't. I have been following releases of shows for the past 2 and a half years, I know what I am talking about when I say Manga isn't Animated.

And if you even still do not believe me. Do this:

Go to a store and buy an actual Anime DVD. Chances are pretty high that it will include the original Japanese audio with English Subtitles. Now tell me something: Why does something that you say is "western made" have ORIGINAL Japanese audio?

Edit: I only used English translations as an example. Other languages follow the same steps, not just from Japan to English.

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?

Posted by [trooprm02](#) on Sun, 16 Dec 2007 18:04:05 GMT

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Posted by [Feetseek](#) on Sun, 16 Dec 2007 20:32:03 GMT

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And you're very popular because you constantly think highly of yourself?

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?

Posted by [IronWarrior](#) on Sun, 16 Dec 2007 20:35:46 GMT

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Being ignorant is bliss.

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?

Posted by [Caveman](#) on Sun, 16 Dec 2007 22:42:54 GMT

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Coveman wrote on Mon, 03 December 2007 17:06trooprm02 wrote on Mon, 03 December 2007 13:45Coveman wrote on Mon, 03 December 2007 07:32trooprm02 wrote on Sun, 02 December 2007 18:00Rocko wrote on Sun, 02 December 2007 01:55I did for the longest time until i saw some weird anime shit in my Film class at school. it was called memorium or something and i saw only the magnetic rose part. but it was beautiful.

In conclusion, most anime is gay and will always be gay until the world ends, but this is the one anime movie that i can say i liked.

Anime is for lonely kids who's childhood entailed molestation etc etc..

Basically, cartoons for "grown ups"? Are you fucking kidding me? Grow up.

See here you are again talking about shit you don't know. There's a huge difference between cartoons like Tom and Jerry and then anime like GITS.

You and Lone need to grow the fuck up. Its not my fault you both were in sexually abusing homes and feel the need for a 2nd childhood. The rest of us pay taxes so you can go whine to some proffesional about your many problems, and not draw cartoons at the age of 10+. Thanks.

You have something you'd like to get of your chest? Also please do explain how everyone that watches something like South Park or The Simpsons was sexually abused.

Once again you've shown that you really are just an idiotic child that doesn't have many friends outside his computer monitor.

Please stop dodging troop.

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?

Posted by [cypher909](#) on Mon, 17 Dec 2007 01:39:21 GMT

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animeporn w00t!

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [u6795](#) on Mon, 17 Dec 2007 02:27:41 GMT

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I just don't get anime.

It's one of those things that I'll watch if it's like, 4 AM and I can't go to sleep. But even then it bores me to death.

Why do I want to watch some Japanese freakazoid with some stupid superpowers live a normal life when I could be out living mine?

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [R315r4z0r](#) on Mon, 17 Dec 2007 02:44:40 GMT

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You can't just generalize it all into one category. It is the same thing with normal TV. Can you say that every TV show in the US or UK is a game show?

The truth is there are hundreds of different types of topics an anime can be about.

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [GEORGE ZIMMER](#) on Mon, 17 Dec 2007 03:01:30 GMT

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But hey, I guess reality TV is much better than that. Disregarding the fact that it's about as real as a cockroach killing the core defender.

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [R315r4z0r](#) on Mon, 17 Dec 2007 03:31:23 GMT

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R3 agrees with CABAL's assessment.

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [Dreganius](#) on Mon, 17 Dec 2007 04:34:08 GMT  
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This coming from they guy that got me into FMA....

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [R315r4z0r](#) on Mon, 17 Dec 2007 05:09:35 GMT  
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Well... it is sort of hard to NOT get into FMA. I mean, you watch an episode and you're like "OMG so awesome!"

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [firazero](#) on Mon, 17 Dec 2007 14:32:52 GMT  
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Claymore.

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Have you seen the second season of GITS? Ghost in the Shell 2nd GIG?

As Iron pointed out, Claymore is also good.

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Posted by [R315r4z0r](#) on Mon, 17 Dec 2007 20:45:04 GMT  
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I liked 2nd Gig soooooo much better than the original series.

As for suggestions... it is hard to really say without knowing your own likes.

My personal favorite is Neon Genesis Evangelion, however watching that series is like doing drugs... without the drugs.

Another one of my favorites is the FMP seriess.

Full Metal Panic. (No relation to Fullmetal Alchemist) It is about a secret organization called Mithril, which is an organization of Mercenaries that are like international peace keepers. They don't align themselves to any one country, and the faculty is of different origins.

The story is about the anti-social Sergent Sousuke Sagara, who has lived his entire life on the battlefield. Him and his team are assigned to protect a school girl named Kaname Chidori. His team members Sergent Curtz Webber (Sniper), and Sergent Major Melissa Mao (team leader) work the background while Sagara is to infiltrate the school and become a classmate of Chidori's.

Kaname isn't supposed to know that she is being watched. However because of Sagara's anti-social personality, he doesn't know how to cope in a civilian environment and one accident



leads to another accident and also leaves some misguided accusations.

Over all, Full Metal Panic is a Military, Mecha, Romantic, Comedy type anime. There are 3 series. The first series (Full Metal Panic!) is 24 Episodes long. The second (Full Metal Panic? FUMOFFU) is 12 (I think) episodes long. And the third (Full Metal Panic! The Second Raid) is 13 episodes long.

The 1st and second series are the action series, the second one is more of a school base comedy.

It is still a good show and I suggest you watch it.

Here is the trailer for the first series:

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LDr--VxBK1g>

(I really don't think that trailer does the series justice because it is kinda confusing.. the actual series is so much better than what they show there)

Here is the trailer for FUMOFFU:

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iMuV7NWKE6A>

And here is the trailer for TSR:

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=P2a1AICjVEA>

(Yes they are the english trailers)

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?

Posted by [Feetseek](#) on Tue, 18 Dec 2007 00:42:06 GMT

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Has anyone mentioned Yu Yu Hakasho (sp?) I think its a good anime with an interesting story.

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?

Posted by [Muad Dib15](#) on Tue, 18 Dec 2007 03:42:50 GMT

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Blah. That is retarded just like most of the new anime. Stuff like Dragon ball Z is good. The old YuGiOhs were good. Me and my brother used to go over to a friends house when were littler. Him and his younger brother (coincidentally our ages) introduced us to cartoon network and that thing that they had at 4 to 6. Back in the early 00s it had good anime, now just crap is on it.

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?

Posted by [R315r4z0r](#) on Tue, 18 Dec 2007 04:13:49 GMT

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lol DBZ. You'd be surprised how many Anime fans really dislike DBZ.

Speaking of DBZ, did you know that 20th Century Fox is making a live action DBZ movie?

They have already reviled some of the cast members such as Goku, Piccalo, ChiChi, Bulma, Yamcha, and Mai.

<http://www.animenewsnetwork.com/news/2007-11-14/dragonball-movie-to-film-this-year-for-2008-release>

<http://www.animenewsnetwork.com/news/2007-12-16/live-action-dragonball-film-cast-s-bulma-mai-yamcha>

<http://www.animenewsnetwork.com/news/2007-12-06/dragonball-live-action-film-cast-s-jamie-chung-as-chi-chi>

yes... I'm pretty scared too.

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?

Posted by [firazero](#) on Tue, 18 Dec 2007 16:47:51 GMT

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thanks everyone, now im set for a few more months

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?

Posted by [Feetseek](#) on Wed, 19 Dec 2007 07:37:46 GMT

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Can't wait to see how they combined the DBZ style fighting with real actors.

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?

Posted by [IAmFenix](#) on Wed, 30 Jun 2010 11:45:34 GMT

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Higurashi no Naku Koro Ni

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?

Posted by [sadukar09](#) on Wed, 30 Jun 2010 12:11:35 GMT

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [DRNG](#) on Wed, 30 Jun 2010 16:07:14 GMT  
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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [GEORGE ZIMMER](#) on Wed, 30 Jun 2010 17:35:13 GMT  
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GODDAMMIT  
RAGE

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [trooprm02](#) on Wed, 30 Jun 2010 18:06:39 GMT  
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LOL @ DRNG, but yes I still think it should be called anigay.

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [Rocko](#) on Wed, 30 Jun 2010 21:38:55 GMT  
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going back and seeing my oldests posts i realize they are ridiculous

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [R315r4z0r](#) on Thu, 01 Jul 2010 02:28:53 GMT  
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I just read though this entire thread.

Did I not ever proofread my posts 3 years ago?

err.. anyway.. I thought Gundam SEED was awesome. I liked Destiny too... just not as much as the first series.

I really disliked Gundam Wing though. I thought it was terrible. I don't see how people say it's the best thing ever.

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REACTION IMAGE DOT JAY-PEG

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Posted by [Clark Kent](#) on Thu, 01 Jul 2010 02:43:37 GMT

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Anime fucking sucks.

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?

Posted by [IAmFenix](#) on Thu, 01 Jul 2010 11:43:46 GMT

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Clark Kent wrote on Wed, 30 June 2010 21:43 Anime fucking sucks.

(Surprisingly not shopped)

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?

Posted by [nope.avi](#) on Thu, 01 Jul 2010 14:43:10 GMT

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?

Posted by [GEORGE ZIMMER](#) on Thu, 01 Jul 2010 16:22:13 GMT

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\*cough cough\*

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Posted by [renalpha](#) on Fri, 02 Jul 2010 20:09:03 GMT

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lol

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yea brah lets go smoke some pot and drink some BOOZE YEEAAA

WOOOOO FUK DA HATERZZ EAST SIDE BABEEXX

it'd be funnier if you didn't actually act like that

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?

Posted by [snpr1101](#) on Fri, 02 Jul 2010 20:36:24 GMT

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I can has lock?

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If I was a homosexual I would be offended by the notion that I would even consider sexual intercourse with an anime fanboy.

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?

Posted by [Herr Surth](#) on Sat, 03 Jul 2010 09:42:58 GMT

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DRNG drools intermittently.

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?

Posted by [FACEBUTT](#) on Sat, 03 Jul 2010 11:00:11 GMT

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I dislike fantasy, so anime isn't for me. However i love SF.

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Posted by [nikki6ixx](#) on Sat, 03 Jul 2010 23:56:49 GMT  
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Regardless of all those nuances and provisos, anime still remains super gay.

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yeah that shit always bugged me

Even Cowboy Bebop and Ghost in the Shell have that, despite being otherwise awesome shows.

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[boobs ]

No, that isn't true.

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From what I've seen, most girls are small to flat chested. However, I do admit that unless it's a running gag, boinging breasts are pretty annoying. It is a bit of an overused character design with excessively large breasts... but for the most part, most female characters are normal to below average sizes.

It really isn't a big deal in Cowboy Bebop because that's just Fye's character... and to be honest, they are pretty much average size. In GitS though, it is annoying.

There is a good martial arts show called Kenichi: The Mightiest Disciple. It's a good action/comedy and one of the running gags is that the main female character has huge boobs and other characters make fun of her. Even though it's an annoying character design, the comedy aspect sort of balances out.

[/boobs]

Another thing that urks me are excessive pantie shots or 'pantusu'.

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Posted by [R315r4z0r](#) on Sun, 04 Jul 2010 15:08:53 GMT  
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LOL was the guy who narrated that Chris Sabbot? It sounds like him.

He is a FUNimation VA. In DBZ, he played Piccolo and Vegeta as well as a lot of other people.

And no, it does not 'spooof the entire anime genre.'

First of all anime isn't a genre. There are different genres of anime. You cannot see one and justify the rest as the same thing. It would be like calling book reading a genre.

It was a spoof of overused echii/hentai clichés.

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hurrrr lets throw in a tsundere loli character with unrealistic hair colors

BEST SHOW EVER

ORIGINAL THE CHARACTER DO NOT STEAL

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She has black hair. What's unrealistic about that?

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the red hair shit, I meant  
derpity doo

still an annoying generic tsundere loli character, not unlike the thousands in every other forgotten animu

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Posted by [R315r4z0r](#) on Sun, 04 Jul 2010 17:16:13 GMT

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No she isn't generic... because she actually fits the profile. She is supposed to have the build of I think a 12 year old girl. (She isn't 12, but her appearance doesn't change with age. They never really say her age.. so I'm just going off of assumption)

Why I mean by 'not generic' is that the doesn't have ginormous boobs.

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I was trying to find a better full body shot before, but they are all versions with flaming hair.

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orange-red, maybe

crimson, no

There's a good amount of examples of animu characters that don't have ginourmous boobs and are still pretty badass and somewhat developed interestingly, but shana isn't one of them.

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liquidv2 wrote on Sun, 04 July 2010 20:31

^ I am with this guy.

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Posted by [R315r4z0r](#) on Tue, 06 Jul 2010 15:54:22 GMT  
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Posted by [InternetThug](#) on Wed, 07 Jul 2010 00:25:42 GMT  
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- \* Pixar, cuz Pixar
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I find pixar movies to be worse than most anime, to be honest...

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A lot of anime has a maturity level that's equivalent to a live-action movie.

Watching Pixar as an adult is pathetic unless you are watching it with kids.

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?

Posted by [Muad Dib15](#) on Thu, 08 Jul 2010 15:48:39 GMT

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Posted by [Herr Surth](#) on Fri, 09 Jul 2010 09:41:16 GMT

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Pixar releases computer animated movies that are for g-rated audiences. Basically kids and family movies.

I was saying it would be pathetic (using the word she used) for a grown adult to develop an addictive fix to watching Pixar movies (as opposed to a grown adult who watches anime that may or may not be meant for a child audience, depending on what they are watching).

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Deep in everyone's core, there lies different sets of preferences. One person's preference might totally conflict with another person's preference. It's very similar to personality traits. For example, someone may be an extrovert and can only feel comfortable if they are around other people; whereas someone else might be an introvert and only be comfortable by themselves.

Anyway, I came across this realization actually when I was playing the game Mass Effect.

Mass Effect is a single player game. It has an excellent story and addictive gameplay. However, that got me thinking, if this game is so great, why doesn't every gamer play it? Why are there some people who dislike it? I thought about it and then I realized that there is a line drawn between types of gamers. You have your single player campaign gamers and then you have your multiplayer competitive gamers.

Multiplayer gamers come in all shapes and sizes but it is not uncommon to find one who cannot stand playing a single player game. In fact, my cousin, who got me playing Modern Warfare 2, told me that he never even bothered with the campaign because it's too boring to sit through.

Anyway, relating back to your argument. While ignorance does play a major roll (since most people who hate on anime do it without having bothered to give it a half-decent chance), it isn't the main reason. Some people just don't like to sit through a story, no matter how good we might think it is or how good it might have been rated. Some people just prefer action than to a slow-paced story.

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There are tones of different genres that an anime can be. Some are completely serious, others have comedic twists to them. Others still might make no sense at all.

Saying that people who like anime like it because it's more dramatic is stereotyping the viewers.

People like anime for the exact same reason that you or anyone else might like to go to the

movies or watch a TV show; it's fun to watch and it's entertaining based off of their personal preferences in the show's content.

Since when has an animated show translate into 'meant for little kids?' Just because it might be animated drawings, doesn't mean it has to be a kid's entertainment program. If someone was to take a show like CSI and make an animated version of it, why should that automatically lose a piece of its maturity value?

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I fucking hate lucky star and k-on and other retarded lol so kawaii desu~ anime, but if something is good, I'm not going to discredit it just because it's anime...

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It's not, it's just another form of entertainment...

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It's not, it's just another form of entertainment...

I get you now. But I'll agree to disagree over the 'it's just entertainment'.

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Posted by [R315r4z0r](#) on Sat, 10 Jul 2010 10:30:18 GMT

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I can't watch moe animes, it's just embarrassing.

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Posted by [Muad Dib15](#) on Sat, 01 Jan 2011 05:55:27 GMT  
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Posted by [grant89uk](#) on Wed, 05 Jan 2011 17:41:52 GMT  
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I liked the alternate reality dragonball Z lol. Very funny.

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Posted by [Spyder](#) on Sat, 08 Jan 2011 12:10:51 GMT  
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Posted by [Gen\\_Blacky](#) on Sun, 09 Jan 2011 09:12:36 GMT

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DRNG wrote on Tue, 06 July 2010 23:06GEORGE ZIMMER wrote on Tue, 06 July 2010 20:14Ralph wrote on Tue, 06 July 2010 19:25is this a serious topic?

yes

people are dying over this, bro

Socially.

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Posted by [R315r4z0r](#) on Sat, 15 Jan 2011 05:02:57 GMT

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For some reason, I remembered this thread and then I thought of an example to add to my argument:

One of the most loved anime series (especially in the US) is Cowboy Bebop.

You ever hear an anime hater say "Anime sux! Except I do like Cowboy Bebop..." It's because Cowboy Bebop is able to satisfy the attention of western audiences much better than many other shows. How can this be? Well it's because that even though there is a grand story line that undermines the entire series, each episode also holds a self-contained plot of it's own. You can pick up and watch any episode without being left out of the loop.

Another example of a show like this would be Ghost in the Shell. That anime also has a lot of supporters.

And, technically speaking, Lucky Star also follows that same format... but the only reason why that show isn't as popular should be pretty obvious: it looks like it belongs on a pre-school network.

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?

Posted by [grant89uk](#) on Tue, 18 Jan 2011 00:01:01 GMT

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Well its like dragonball z. You couldnt just watch a random episode and take it in.

You need to watch from the beginning to fully follow the story as at the end of the day thats what its all about.

Many people don't like it though because it does drag on and take quite some time to get through.

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?

Posted by [GEORGE ZIMMER](#) on Tue, 18 Jan 2011 03:02:33 GMT

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1: It's a comedy show, if it followed some form of plot where you need to watch previous episodes to get things, it's doing it wrong

2: It's not popular in the west because its style is ridiculous. It tries WAY too hard to be LOL KAWAI DESU UGUU DE-GASO

3: It's about little girls who are supposed to be 17 but look 8

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [R315r4z0r](#) on Tue, 18 Jan 2011 03:35:46 GMT  
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I love that word "uguu." I always lol when I hear it.

Also, comedy shows don't necessarily require non-linear plots. For example, the most funny comedy anime that I've seen is School Rumble (technically it's a romantic comedy but whatever). Now, it doesn't necessarily have a big story line running through it, but it does follow a sequence of events. What happens in one episode will form the basis for later episodes in the series (character development wise).

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Posted by [GEORGE ZIMMER](#) on Tue, 18 Jan 2011 23:03:27 GMT  
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I dunno. Comedy shows that have a plot, or even just a few plot heavy episodes, generally end up sucking.

Cromartie High School is a perfect example of how anime comedy can be done amazingly well, though. No plot whatsoever, and actually fucking funny.

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [Caveman](#) on Fri, 21 Jan 2011 08:26:40 GMT  
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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [Hypnos](#) on Fri, 21 Jan 2011 16:14:44 GMT  
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Quite possibly the best typo of all time. Quoted for good faith.

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [GEORGE ZIMMER](#) on Sat, 22 Jan 2011 02:01:46 GMT  
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It's mostly because there just aren't any interesting anime that've come out lately.

There's only two that have remotely interested me- Shiki and Durarara. Shiki I've watched and was actually pretty good, despite the ridiculous character designs.

Durarara I still need to watch, but it looks amusing at least from what I've seen.

Really though, when you have shit like this:

It just makes you lose any and all hope that Japan is capable of producing anything REMOTELY worthwhile.

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [R315r4z0r](#) on Sat, 22 Jan 2011 02:51:32 GMT  
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Needs more blood.

Also smaller pupils... and steeper smile.

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [sloscha](#) on Sat, 29 Jan 2011 06:16:18 GMT  
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Dragonball, Dragonball Z and Bleach are the only ones I have seen. From what I gather from seeing other peoples' taste in anime, I must say most of it seems REALLY girly. Pic related.

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [R315r4z0r](#) on Sat, 29 Jan 2011 06:21:20 GMT  
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Someone posted that pic before. I still lol.

That girl in the bottom left frame looks like a powerpuff girl.

Also, watch Death Note, you'd probably like it... unless you're totally offended by a main character being a serial killer.

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Subject: Re: anyone else think anime sucks?  
Posted by [GEORGE ZIMMER](#) on Sun, 30 Jan 2011 13:32:23 GMT  
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Most of it IS really girly. But there's some nice serious ones. Such as:

Death Note, Ghost in the Shell, Cowboy Bebop, Trigun, Monster (Haven't finished watching it but all of what I've seen is great so far), Shiki (If you can get past the FABULOUS designs and weird hairstyles), Detective Conan/Case Closed (Same anime, just called Case Closed in the US, but they stopped dubbing it in English due to shitty sales... so as much as it pains me to say, it might be better to start off with the Japanese version \*ugh\*), and a few others I probably forgot.

also, on the (really low chance) you're into manga, JoJo's Bizarre Adventure is the best fucking thing ever. FABULOUS characters who are also manly at the same time (Except Giorno, Giorno's just a faggot), tons of lulzy references to music, some of which are hilarious (A villain named Vanilla Ice), and it's been running since the 1980's until now where it's STILL running.

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