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Thread: [Are japanese people racist?](#)

the best guy ever - May 9, 2014, 7:42 pm

How come I never saw an anime where there was a black person as the main character? In Boondocks for example the main characters are black.

lillix - May 9, 2014, 7:43 pm

(May 9, 2014 07:42 PM)the best guy ever Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) How come I never saw an anime where there was a black person as the main character?

Because the producers decided to use a white character, not a black one.

the best guy ever - May 9, 2014, 7:43 pm

yeah but thats in every single anime ever!

Sasaki Haise - May 9, 2014, 7:44 pm

Afro Samurai lol. And it doesn't make much sense that a Black person should be able to speak Japanese that well that easily.

the best guy ever - May 9, 2014, 7:44 pm

also nice avatar what anime is it from

lillix - May 9, 2014, 7:46 pm

(May 9, 2014 07:44 PM)the best guy ever Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) also nice avatar what anime is it from
Its Ruri Gokou/Kuroneko from Oreimo.

cacnecac - May 9, 2014, 7:47 pm

Japan is one of the most Xenophobic countries in the world

"hatred or fear of foreigners or strangers or of their politics or culture"

Unless your American ofc... they accept that.

Dragon. - May 9, 2014, 7:59 pm

I don't know if they're racist, but rather prone to conforming to stereotypes.

They depict Americans usually as people with blonde hair blue eyes, also being very rude and rowdy.

(What I've seen, at least.)

cacnecac - May 9, 2014, 8:13 pm

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They also have the most serious case of population decline in the world. Due to their Xenophobia which limits them from allowing immigrations, their work is more important then starting a family because females are suppose to be "housewives". And of course a thousand other reasons, its quite sad really.

K?ng - May 9, 2014, 8:19 pm

They have a different culture and yet people judge them for having their own set of beliefs/preferences.

If they don't want a dark-skinned main character, that's their decision. Honestly, I don't think an anime with a dark-skinned main character would be that popular in Japan. Not being racist, just that Japanese people tend to dislike foreigners like that... although they seem to be fine with Americans (white) and Europeans (again, white).

Obli - May 9, 2014, 8:20 pm

I've heard about Japan being xenophobic as hell. Might be that.

the best guy ever - May 9, 2014, 8:20 pm

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Sasaki Haise - May 9, 2014, 8:22 pm

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<http://dictionary.reference.com/browse/xenophobic?s=t>

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xeno'phobic

the best guy ever - May 9, 2014, 8:23 pm

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Electricity. - May 9, 2014, 8:29 pm

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Who gives a shit. Honestly.

Obli - May 9, 2014, 8:31 pm

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This is the kind of mentality which is ruining the world

If you don't like black people that's all good, you just can't express it in public. With that being said Japan did not express its dislike to black people, they're not racists.

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I don't know man. The japanese are xenophobic with everyone though.

the best guy ever - May 9, 2014, 8:33 pm

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Obli - May 9, 2014, 8:34 pm

(May 9, 2014 08:33 PM)the best guy ever Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) so what your saying is that its ok to be racist/??? i dont think so
Define racism. If you don't like black people, I could not care less, just don't offend black people.

GL1TCH3D - May 9, 2014, 8:35 pm

People usually prefer watching things if they can connect with the characters.

Making the main character black would be essentially making the main character a foreigner to them

Obli - May 9, 2014, 8:36 pm

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This too. Not only us westerners watch anime, japanese people do too in case you did not take that into consideration OP.

cacnecac - May 9, 2014, 9:26 pm

I wouldn't say they are racist, Xenophobia isn't just HATE, its also means FEAR, meaning they as a culture fear outside influences and people.

That isn't their main issue atm, its population decline if they keep up with the way things are done in Japan atm. Soon their "Japanese" population will be cut in half because they aren't making any babies.

They sell more Adult Diapers then Baby Diapers.

the best guy ever - May 9, 2014, 9:26 pm

dude why are you getting so defensive just becaquse i asked if japan ese people are racist or not what

neightworks - May 9, 2014, 9:32 pm

Panty and Stocking

Tenjou Tenge

Elemental Gelade

There are a lot of black main characters, just not very many protagonists or antagonists.

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yeah but why cant they get major roles in anime cartoons is my question

Obli - May 9, 2014, 9:35 pm

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Obli - May 9, 2014, 9:39 pm

(May 9, 2014 09:37 PM)the best guy ever Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) whats they're problem with outsiders what they never seen another person before or what

Why are you asking me? Ask them. I'm not Japanese.

Most likely they want to preserve their own culture and the intervention of outsiders might ruin that.

neightworks - May 9, 2014, 9:40 pm

(May 9, 2014 09:35 PM)+Oblivious Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Anime cartoons? I like you OP

Because Japanese people are xenophobic and do not like outsiders

Untrue, there are a ton of anime with westerner protagonists.

They're also one of the few countries you can visit, make a complete fool of yourself and still be treated greatly.

the best guy ever - May 9, 2014, 9:42 pm

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Because they focus on their target audience.

Shenanigans™ - May 9, 2014, 9:47 pm

I dont think its racist, most Japanese people do not look like or cannot relate to someone whos black.

Honestly I wouldnt classify most anime as depicting of any "race"

Most people in our world do not have natural blue or purple / pink hair. Or red or purple eyes

cacnecac - May 9, 2014, 10:01 pm

sigh Simply put

Blacks or Dark Skin people don't have much influence in Japan heck I doubt theres many as a population there in Japan as far as Blacks goes.. thats probably why it doesn't show much in their media/entertainment.

Its the same thing in any other East Asian Countries.

Dragon. - May 9, 2014, 10:17 pm

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terms of land at least, I wouldn't say taking a 2 hour long commute to work everyday efficient, but..).

The people I have spoken to or read about that are from Japan do not really mind foreigners, and actually encourage people to come to their country and explore it. However, space constrictions (as stated above), force the government to limit any immigrants, which might be the reason why some people think they are xenophobic (which, by the way, one person used, and now everyone's using it).

These are just my two cents. Our class did an analysis on Japan's industrial and political state, and this is just a fraction of our discussion on it. I'd be more than happy to add more to it if you guys like :)

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Explain to me why their population is declining please, I want to know if your class is stupid or not.

Not Registered - May 9, 2014, 11:30 pm

i think not . jappnese peacefull country and full loves and happines . no racist to much in there

Hal Jordan - May 9, 2014, 11:38 pm

You cannot use a black person as a main character in a Japanese theme anime , it just doesn't make sense and the director or producers will be crucified . Not all Japanese are racist .

GL1TCH3D - May 9, 2014, 11:48 pm

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Unless someone here has met with a producer and discussed the subject nobody will give you a definitive answer.

We've given you possible answers.

If a discussion arises let the discussion continue instead of ranting like a 6 year old about how the discussion isn't everything you wanted it to be. Maybe it leads to something maybe it doesn't.

Nobody is making personal attacks. If anything you seem the closest to making attacks on users, in

your own thread, who are here to try and help answer the question.

(May 9, 2014 11:23 PM)cacnecac Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Explain to me why their population is declining please, I want to know if your class is stupid or not.

I haven't done any form of research on the subject. If I'm wrong then just tell me but if I had to make any sort of educated guess is that while families ties and history are important, the idea of having a solid income throughout life is just as important or more important. With such a concentration of people in an area you see much higher competition for more respectable or sought after jobs which means to assure yourself a position like that you have to start building up early. I.e go through school, get great grades, aim for a great job.

I don't know how respected their university graduates are in Japan but for a lot of disciplines here in North America, universities just don't prepare us enough for companies to higher straight into a respectable position

Anyway, this goes to say that they may forsake social relationships to further their career standing.

Just a guess. No source to back this up.

Dragon. - May 10, 2014, 12:05 am

(May 9, 2014 11:23 PM)cacnecac Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Explain to me why their population is declining please, I want to know if your class is stupid or not.

Their birth rate is below replacement level, due to low fertility rates. Women are now getting married later and having fewer children with the help of contraception. The old are dying much faster than people can be born, creating a greying (aging) population.

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cacnecac - May 10, 2014, 1:00 am

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Thats only part of it, they actually have the best rate of older living people then most other countries. I don't know how to put it but planning to get married and raise a family there is too difficult for them. Many reasons to list as to why just do some research.

Dragon. - May 10, 2014, 1:19 am

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I guess the higher life expectancy plays a part in it, but the longevity of the elderly in Japan is more like something many countries in the world marvel at, while Japan itself struggles with getting higher birth rates.

(Or were you talking about something else? Sorry if I read that wrong, my brain is dead at the moment)

(May 10, 2014 01:00 AM)cacnecac Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I don't know how to put it but planning to get married and raise a family there is too difficult for them.

Hmm... Interesting. I'll look more into it. Thanks :)

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Hmm... Interesting. I'll look more into it. Thanks :)

mhm there are a quite alot of reasons why they are having hard time settling down and raising a family, having babies blah blah. Their government is actually trying to promote it. I wish them well but as their standard of living / economy goes it will probably be hard path.

Sutorimu - May 10, 2014, 4:50 am

Its not racism, they are white people, why would they have a black guy as MC if the story is set around asian culture/place, while for example in Black Lagoon they can have a black guy since its kind of worldwide and not just asian setting.

And there is racism all over the world, but this is not racism.

Vamporno - May 10, 2014, 7:26 am

No Japanese people are not racist. They put white people as main character because almost every anime ever made had white people. It weird having a black person as a main character because image them speaking Japanese it will be weird and awkward. If you still think it racist image the Naruto main character being black or image Clannad main character being black. Some anime still have black people in the anime so they not racist.

cacnecac - May 10, 2014, 7:31 am

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Hexes - May 10, 2014, 8:18 am

Didn't read the whole thread, but thought I should drop this:

<http://youtu.be/hzmgyFQNvvU?t=2m9s>

:^)

Sutorimu - May 10, 2014, 8:55 am

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There will always be some people with crooked minds. ALL OVER THE WORLD.

And they are talking against the chinese people who goes to japan (yes many Japanese dislike chinese people vice versa)

tweety - May 10, 2014, 10:18 am

(May 9, 2014 08:19 PM)K?ng Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) They have a different culture and yet people judge them for having their own set of beliefs/preferences.

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http://myanimelist.net/character/199/Kenji_Harima

Stop being retarded. This thread is stupid. Protagonists need to sell, they go with the generic skin color that the viewers expect. It's not about being racist, its just done without thinking about. We do have dark skinned protagonists as well, you're just not looking for them.

King Cairo - May 10, 2014, 10:20 am

Yeah they are racist. Fucking squinty eyed Japanese yellow motherfuckers.

Haxerino - May 10, 2014, 10:31 am

I've never thought of that O.o

Japan much racism

Assassins Creed - May 10, 2014, 10:44 am

Who cares?

I like anime the way it is, it doesn't bother me at all.

Also, keep in mind that Anime is made for the japanese(white-skinned), so ofc they will mainly have white male main characters so it appeals to their niche audience.

Sutorimu - May 10, 2014, 10:49 am

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King Cairo - May 10, 2014, 11:01 am

(May 10, 2014 10:49 AM)Sutorimu Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) HAHAHAH arabs are way more racist than japanese people...

No fucking shit Sherlock. So sad but true.

DarkShadowz - May 10, 2014, 11:26 am

A good amount of Japanese people are racist, but mainly they are conservative. My dad doesn't favor Indian's and Mexicans. My friend's dad fucking hates Koreans.

(May 10, 2014 10:20 AM)King Cairo Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Yeah they are racist. Fucking squinty eyed Japanese yellow motherfuckers.
Out in the field you'll find the less squinty eyed motherfuckers ;).

Layla - May 10, 2014, 11:30 am

Just because they don't use a black character makes them racist? This is the society that are complete pussies and think that everything is a literal meaning to something that isn't there. Are you going to say Spongebob is racist because there aren't any blacks in that show?

Hexes - May 10, 2014, 11:45 am

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Just look at what happened to the anti-Semitic gathering in Belgium

<http://rt.com/news/156768-belgium-right-rally-dispersed/>

Happeh - May 10, 2014, 1:37 pm

Although I don't live in Japan or I'm not Japanese, I've learned a few things from documentaries and such. Firstly, it appears Japanese don't have time for a love life. They have huge pressure to do well on school and this is why you hear about high suicide rates in young ages because of the enormous pressure there is on kids to do well in school. Focusing on studies means there's lack of time to actually socialize with girls and vice-versa. Once schools done most Japanese work heavily. 6 days a week, 7-7, trying to find time to meet people now is even harder. This is why there's a declining birth rate that's quite worrying and so many awkward men in Japan.

As for the original question - yes and no. Japanese people can be very racist, there's many "no gaijin" locations still around in rural Japan and often public bathhouses don't allow foreigners. This is often the older generation though; my Grandad hates the Germans but that doesn't mean all the British hate Germans, same can be said with Japan. Fuck, most of the Shogun era was often fights between rivals - those who were loyalists and keeping to the 'old ways' and those who were ready to adopt foreign technology (ironic now Japan is the hub of technology). There's always been a split and there still remains one - but from the Youtube videos of foreigners in Japan (mostly people on the TEFL program) it seems most are extremely kind and open. There's a video somewhere of Tkyosam, who is a large, full on American with dyed hair and vulgar language who was invited to eat some food with the family living below him. You often see him alone and it was obvious the kindness affected him as he was crying in the video.

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Vouch for the no sex plzz?

cacnecac - May 10, 2014, 3:39 pm

(May 10, 2014 01:58 PM)Sutorimu Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Vouch for the no sex plzz?
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Happeh - May 10, 2014, 4:57 pm

(May 10, 2014 03:39 PM)cacnecac Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Wait what? They fuk like bunnies over there but they just choose not to babies.

You're kidding, right? That country with declining birth rates fuck like bunnies? Makes sense.

cacnecac - May 10, 2014, 5:16 pm

(May 10, 2014 04:57 PM)Happeh Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) You're kidding, right? That country with declining birth rates fuck like bunnies? Makes sense.

Declining birth rate has nothing to do with them not having sex. Of course they have sex, all those people are virgins over there? They just refuse to have babies.

You can't tell me the average 18-35 year olds there all have their cherries. You're watching too much high school romance anime buddy.

Rakshasa - May 10, 2014, 6:48 pm

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cacnecac - May 10, 2014, 7:35 pm

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Because your a fuking fagget thats how. Happeh has no points in explaining birth decline 1 bit, they do have sex over there just like anywhere else in the world he made it sound like its sex that is the sole reason why they don't have babies... LOL.

Anyways stop defending ur butt buddy.

Sutorimu - May 11, 2014, 1:08 am

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Not everyone are virgins, but there are lots of virgins there. Ofcourse there also are those who are in relationships and arent virgins BUT ~most of the people there doesnt want to be in relationship there until over the age of ~30. So there might be people who has intercourse with other random people.

And you might not belive it, but most people who regualry visits Akihabara are mostlikley virgins.

And many actually plays dating sims instead of having a real gf/bf and that also leads not to have sex.

And many more, im 100% sure there are also documentaries about it since they are crazy over there.

Hexes - May 11, 2014, 4:00 am

How did this derail from racism to the amount of sex Japanese people have?

Sutorimu - May 11, 2014, 4:03 am

(May 11, 2014 04:00 AM)Rafiki™ Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) How did this derail from racism to the amount of sex Japanese people have?

Happeh went offtopic and the discussion continued.

Kuso - May 11, 2014, 4:06 am

I don't think it is always up to the Japanese companies. As you all know the process to creating an anime is when Japanese companies produce the script then sends it to Korean for animation, and I forgot who airs them. I think the other companies that animate probably has a say in it.

BUT. You are wrong, there are black people. One piece, black lagoon, hachimino ippo. There's more, I can't think of them though.

Enabran Tain - May 11, 2014, 4:13 am

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Rakshasa - May 11, 2014, 7:45 am

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There's absolutely nothing inherently wrong here. Of course they have sex over there; any fucking breathing mammal with more braincells than teeth knows that. They just do it less than the average western country, and the people that do often don't have time for childcare.

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Stop acting like a dumbass, cacnecac. I never said they're all virgins, I was merely explaining why there's a declining birth rate. Not once did I say "All of the men are virgins." Would be a fucking stupid comment to see when I've seen Japanese porn.

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You cant always tell by skin color mane, Im pale as fuck and IM still black.

afrO - May 11, 2014, 7:42 pm

(May 9, 2014 07:44 PM)Sojin Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Afro Samurai lol. And it doesn't make much sense that a Black person should be able to speak Japanese that well that easily.

Afro Samurai was decent in my opinion, it was certainly different.

tweety - May 12, 2014, 4:43 am

(May 11, 2014 07:54 PM)gogeta1 Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) yes i know guys and japan is very racist but they really dont accept whites either but i guess thats how the world works

well actually in tokyo alot of teens fry thier skin so they can be black .. buut that shit aint cool tho
You're like a cancer cell just floating around this forum.

cacnecac - May 13, 2014, 12:40 am

I'd like to apologize for my attitude in the previous posts... looks like I let my own opinion get to me. I know its kinda offtopic but threads like this shouldn't exists because it leads to opinions over facts anyways.

DarkShadowz - May 13, 2014, 1:29 pm

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HabboBrugeren - May 13, 2014, 1:30 pm

[img]<http://bbsimg.ngfiles.com/1/23788000/ngbbs4f4fe3a6ca991.jpg>[/img]

Black people don't fit in anime.

Real_Blank - May 14, 2014, 8:25 am

Nah its just the number of people who will actually watch an anime with a black person as the main character is small. It doesn't attract as many viewers.

eight - May 14, 2014, 7:22 pm

Actually Japanese people are racist as fuck and don't give a shit about throwing a negro in there.

JamesB150 - May 16, 2014, 1:36 am

The Japanese aren't racist per se, they are xenophobic. That means they are wary of foreigners. Interestingly, black characters are rarely every the main protagonists in any manga and that's probably because they're afraid that the audience would be unable to relate and emulate.

Slam Dunk has a few dark-skinned main characters but that might just be due to the basketball stereotype

Misaka - May 16, 2014, 10:38 pm

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Definitely a good point on unfamiliarity being another version of racism. For example, when I go to visit China (obviously not the same as Japan but definitely a similarity in terms of how often a typical Chinese person encounters a black person), many of the "racist" stereotypes of black people (eating fried chicken, playing basketball, being thugs, etc.) seem to be pretty well perpetuated. But, this isn't really some sort of hatred of black people, it's rather a way of taking common associations for a subject they are unfamiliar with (i.e. black people) and using it to bring some clarity to their perception of black people so they aren't as mysterious.

?Ñāzg?! - May 16, 2014, 10:43 pm

(May 9, 2014 08:33 PM)the best guy ever Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) so what your saying is that its ok to be racist/??? i dont think so

You cant force someone to like someone else

Its called tolerance

You tolerate a screaming baby on the plane

just because you tolerate it does not mean you like it

You still hate the fucking baby, BUT your just not complaining

excl - May 17, 2014, 12:52 pm

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Well history doesn't exactly provide us with a good track record.

Ryner - May 18, 2014, 11:19 am

I don't think those asians would be that interested in having blackpeople as a MC, well there are some animes where you got a Black MC like Afro Samurai or whatever.

There are lots of dark-skinned sub-protagonists but there aren't that many that dark-skinned protagonists. It's mainly because they're trying to target an audience in Asia? I mean they're all Japanese. (Mostly)

There just isn't a dark-skinned MC that I know of except for Afro Samurai which is pretty damn awesome indeed.

I really don't know what I should say about this, but I believe it's because Japanese people don't have that much to relate with black people.

Obli - May 18, 2014, 11:29 am

I'm pretty damn surprised no one mentioned Egil from SAO

TeamCha0s - May 18, 2014, 2:27 pm

Welcome to our HF.....

How you guys get such thoughts.
pretty thoughtful...

Korean™ - May 18, 2014, 3:09 pm

I'm just going to casually leave this here.

[Video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ADqLniFy6ww>]

DaKila - May 18, 2014, 3:27 pm

(May 18, 2014 03:09 PM)Kayex Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I'm just going to casually leave this here.

The comments to that video on YouTube was so funny I was dying with laughter.

Chitoge - May 18, 2014, 4:31 pm

If any of you think one race isn't racist then you are kidding yourself.

iDuL - May 18, 2014, 4:32 pm

Well, I was playing Halo 3 one time and these Japanese kids started saying "Fuck America"

Whriten - May 18, 2014, 4:35 pm

Lollllll I dont think so i'm sure from not

