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Gladly - August 18, 2016, 8:43 pm

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Hello Anime Adventures,

In this thread I'll be answering questions that are relevant to this sub forum, with topics including art, recommendations, merchandise, and all other anime/J-culture questions.

All questions will be answered to the best of my ability. Troll posts will be completely ignored.

Art/Illustration

Been drawing for half a decade, mostly focusing on anime illustrations, commissioned work (posters and promos), and general illustrations. I have experience in Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator, Flash CC (now Animate), Procreate, and Paint Tool SAI.

Feel free to ask me any questions regarding drawing anime - things such as shading/highlights, drawing specific features, or even software questions.

Merchandise

Answering any questions related to anime merchandise, such as where to buy, etc.

Recommendations

If you're new to anime, not sure what to watch, or trying to explore some new genre, shoot me a reply with the following format and I'll recommend you something to watch:

Code Shows I've watched (Link your MAL):

I want something in the genre:

I don't want to watch:

General

Something anime related I didn't cover above? Feel free to ask, and I'll answer as best I can.

V?rt - August 18, 2016, 8:46 pm

Man, this is really cool! I'll be posting so I can keep track of this later. Very nicely done man!

RainbowHentAi - August 18, 2016, 9:31 pm

This is actually a good thread idea, but considering people are post count whores they'll probably be creating their own threads instead of using this one, or the stickied recommendation thread.

Black Hole - August 19, 2016, 12:04 pm

Hi Gladly, Naruto is best anime ever. Thnx for thread. Do you have other Naruto recommendations?

DerMensch24 - August 19, 2016, 12:27 pm

Interesting thread idea, basically expanding upon Cin's thread with some other topics. Well done, will post here as well to keep track, keep up the good stuff ;)

?aber - August 19, 2016, 6:41 pm

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Happeh - August 19, 2016, 6:52 pm

Shows I've watched (Link your MAL): <http://myanimelist.net/profile/Happeh>

I want something in the genre: Romance

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Gladly - August 19, 2016, 7:34 pm

Appreciate all the fantastic feedback guys :-)

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<http://myanimelist.net/anime/877/Nana>

Aura - August 19, 2016, 7:48 pm

Redpill me on Gundam, senpai.

<https://hackforums.net/showthread.php?tid=5378271>

?aber - August 19, 2016, 7:48 pm

that's some good line work , I also have Wacom Intuos Pro also I need to get back into drawing , I mainly use it for logo designs atm

Zexo - August 19, 2016, 7:50 pm

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<http://myanimelist.net/anime/670/Lamune>

Hamekaze - August 19, 2016, 9:01 pm

Damn this looks like an amazing thread, I'm going to start compiling and updating MAL.

severos - August 20, 2016, 4:15 am

Shows I've watched (Link your MAL): <http://myanimelist.net/animelist/severos>

I want something in the genre: ecchi, comedy

I don't want to watch: not sure, but certainly not Pico one <.<

So in short, want something to watch after work and get some nose bleed before sleep ^.^

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http://myanimelist.net/anime/268/Golden_Boy

(Aug 20, 2016 06:04 AM)Tweety. Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Give me something similar to kodomo no jikan, angels favourite anime.

<http://myanimelist.net/anime/5030/Maria†Holic>

you made me do it

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Two more shows you could check out:

Seven Deadly Sins (the longer of the two recs)

http://myanimelist.net/anime/23755/Nanatsu_no_Taizai

Heaven's Lost Property

http://myanimelist.net/anime/5958/Sora_no_Otoshimono

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I'm sure I've read a yuri similar to this but the storyline in terms of the band didn't go as far. Appreciate it though. Will watch soon.

Nine - August 20, 2016, 1:12 pm

Shows I've watched (Link your MAL): <http://myanimelist.net/animelist/bleeding>

I want something in the genre: magic

I don't want to watch: something with bad cover art

Hamekaze - August 20, 2016, 2:39 pm

Shows I've watched (Link your MAL): <http://myanimelist.net/profile/Spiritoso>

I want something in the genre: Romance, Action

I don't want to watch: Sports

Armady1 - August 20, 2016, 3:01 pm

Shows I've watched (Link your MAL): <http://myanimelist.net/profile/Minerclawz>

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Some action/romance shows I can recommend:

Katanagatari (<http://myanimelist.net/anime/6594/Katanagatari>)

Katanagatari is the perfect mix of both romance and action. The title translates to "sword story", and it's a concept I can't say I've seen before in anime. This one will definitely get you emotional, so don't watch it if you don't want something sad. The art for this show is gorgeous as well, although the character style is different, it's still enjoyable. NOTE: Yes this show is 12 episodes, but each episode has a 50-minute runtime. Along with this, the show has a hefty amount of dialogue, if you don't like to read.

Short spoiler-free review of it if you still can't decide to watch it:

Spoiler ([Click to View](#))[Video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kzJNYSwn0xA>]

Higashi no Eden (http://myanimelist.net/anime/5630/Higashi_no_Eden)

Unlike Katanagatari, this one takes place in modern times. The story is pretty great, and has plenty of suspense. I'd rather you give this one a shot then listen to me describe it. Higashi no Eden is 11 episodes, but the second half of the show is two short movies.

(Aug 20, 2016 01:12 PM)Nine Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Shows I've watched (Link your MAL):

<http://myanimelist.net/animelist/bleeding>

I want something in the genre: magic

I don't want to watch: something with bad cover art

Look at this cool show I discovered just for you Mr. Bleeding

http://myanimelist.net/anime/1846/Princess_Nine_Kisaragi_Joshikou_Yakyuubu

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Since you enjoyed Fate/Stay Night (2006):

Fate/Zero (http://myanimelist.net/anime/10087/Fate_Zero,

http://myanimelist.net/anime/11741/Fate_Zero_2nd_Season)

Take everything you liked about F/SN, and imagine a story that is ten times better than the original. Fate/Zero is essentially a prequel to the events that took place in F/SN, focusing on the previous Holy Grail war. This one is honestly a masterpiece in anime that few shows can come close to. The animation is still one of the best in the business, and the characters are all very well written. The first episode is an hour long prologue, just a heads up. It's the only episode like that in the entire series. Can't recommend this one enough honestly.

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Damn.

Probably since he doesn't like mecha:

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Thanks. Hopefully, Mr. Eat watches it and tells me how fast the curveball is.

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My bad I think I confused myself with the other thread because it said "also like:".

RainbowHentAi - August 30, 2016, 6:56 pm

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DerMensch24 - August 30, 2016, 7:49 pm

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Some people just don't read before they post threads.

Still open to any questions guys!

iMew - September 1, 2016, 1:42 pm

Shows I've watched (Link your MAL): <https://myanimelist.net/animelist/Nattorei>

I want something in the genre: romcom, drama

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After a lot of research since you've seen quite a bit in regards to rom-com/drama, I neglected the fact that I recently finished an anime that had already met this criteria. You should look into [Higashi no Eden](#), which has a good amount of rom-com, however there is quite a bit of drama that surrounds it. Here is the discussion thread I made for it a while back if you want more info: <https://hackforums.net/showthread.php?tid=5357013>

Otherwise (after more research), perhaps you'd consider looking into [Plastic Memories](#) (I'm not sure if there is any comedy involved, but a good amount of drama/rom is found throughout), [Kotoura-san](#) (seems alright, however the reviews are mixed so its iffy), [Myself; Yourself](#), and I'll also recommend a good ol' fav of mine that I watched a while back called [Planetes](#) (discussion thread if you wish to read: <https://hackforums.net/showthread.php?tid=5257780>). Hope these help ;)

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[Welcome to the NHK](#) (Comedy, Drama, Psychological, Romance)

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The show touches some pretty dark topics (while still adding humor into it) in some episodes, so just a heads up if you're struggling with anything like that. The way it adds comedy alongside seriousness honestly makes the story it is telling very enjoyable. I'd say give it about three episodes or so and see if you like it. I thought the dub added to the humor, but subbed is great too.

[The World God Only Knows](#) (Comedy, Harem, Romance, Shounen, Supernatural)

If you're a fan of visual novels/dating sims, this one might be just right for you. The World God Only Knows (TWGOK) is pretty unique for a romance, in that like a visual novel, our protagonist must fall in love with a girl and "conquer" her. If you want to get artsy about it, it's a deconstruction of the harem genre, playing on the tropes the harem genre typically pulls. I personally wouldn't classify it as a harem in the traditional sense, so don't let that throw you off. It has some traditional romance

as well, but (minor spoilers)

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Sweet thanks! I couldn't open that custom CSS link you posted, but I found another custom CSS to help with the transparency. How does this look: <https://myanimelist.net/animelist/DerMensch24>

?Shatter? - September 2, 2016, 12:19 pm

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Also where would I buy these, don't really care about the price. Maybe the size though.

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Oh well that's a shame.

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As for recommendations:

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nations: Japan.

Code Geass is a very good show for not only people new to anime, but anyone into action or mecha. I tend to recommend it because it's pretty accessible, and the story is unique and interesting enough to keep you drawn in from episode to episode, to the point where you're binge watching it. The subbed version is great, but the English dub cast does a fantastic job in this one. Just a heads up, this one is two seasons.

(I'll add a second recommendation when I wake up, I'm too tired to think at the moment)

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Just curious, but you don't think it'll get too hot inside your PC case and they'll get damaged, or you'll block airflow?

Some red and black themed figurines I found (although no budget was stated, I tried to keep prices under \$50):

Yoko (Gurren Lagann)

[Figure 1](#)

[Figure 2](#)

[Figure 3](#)

Rin Tohsaka (Fate series)

[Figure 1](#)

[Figure 2](#)

[Figure 3](#)

[I want this one tbh](#)

Asuka Langley Soryuu (Neon Genesis Evangelion)

[This one would look super cool in a case honestly](#)

[Figure 2](#)

[Figure 3](#)

[Figure 4](#)

[Figure 5](#)

Ryuko (Kill La Kill) [Most of her figures were really expensive]

[Figure 1](#)

[Figure 2](#)

[Figure 3](#)

Ku-Ko (Haiyore! Nyaruko-san)

[Figure 1](#)

[Figure 2](#)

Rias Gremory (High School DxD) [Every other figure is over \$500 or too lewd to link]

[Figure 1](#)

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Gladly - September 6, 2016, 8:34 pm

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Code Geass is a very good show for not only people new to anime, but anyone into action or mecha. I tend to recommend it because it's pretty accessible, and the story is unique and interesting enough to keep you drawn in from episode to episode, to the point where you're binge watching it. The subbed version is great, but the English dub cast does a fantastic job in this one. Just a heads up, this one is two seasons.

(I'll add a second recommendation when I wake up, I'm too tired to think at the moment)

Just curious, but you don't think it'll get too hot inside your PC case and they'll get damaged, or you'll block airflow?

Some red and black themed figurines I found (although no budget was stated, I tried to keep prices under \$50):

Yoko (Gurren Lagann)

[Figure 1](#)

[Figure 2](#)

[Figure 3](#)

Rin Tohsaka (Fate series)

[Figure 1](#)

[Figure 2](#)

[Figure 3](#)

[I want this one tbh](#)

Asuka Langley Soryuu (Neon Genesis Evangelion)

[This one would look super cool in a case honestly](#)

[Figure 2](#)

[Figure 3](#)

[Figure 4](#)

[Figure 5](#)

Ryuko (Kill La Kill) [Most of her figures were really expensive]

[Figure 1](#)

[Figure 2](#)

[Figure 3](#)

Ku-Ko (Haiyore! Nyaruko-san)

[Figure 1](#)

[Figure 2](#)

Rias Gremory (High School DxD) [Every other figure is over \$500 or too lewd to link]

[Figure 1](#)

[Figure 2](#)

Thanks so much for the comprehensive response. I'm going to proxy ship them from China at \$30-40.

Azsry - September 9, 2016, 9:50 pm

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Gladly - September 10, 2016, 10:35 pm

(Sep 6, 2016 08:37 PM)Nine Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) (Aug 20, 2016 01:12 PM)Nine Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Shows I've watched (Link your MAL): <http://myanimelist.net/animelist/bleeding>

I want something in the genre: magic

I don't want to watch: something with bad cover art

Could use something else to watch. .-.

You've seen like very magic show I planned on recommending; consider yourself an expert of the genre.

Some magic shows I can recommend:

A Certain Magical Index (https://myanimelist.net/anime/4654/Toaru_Majutsu_no_Index)

A Certain Magical Index takes place in a technological city in Japan where students are each born with magic-esque powers, and train them at a esper academy. Well what do you know it, our protagonist is ranked at the lowest magical power, having none at all. His only power is the exact opposite - a power that completely blocks others' abilities. Our protagonist's life begins to take twists and turns as he meets a very peculiar girl who has memorized an ancient forbidden magical book, which has her being hunted by plenty of magicians.

What's pretty interesting about this show is it blends both magic and science, pitting them against each other throughout the series. The story is enjoyable, and although characters could use a bit more development, I'd still say you should check it out since you're really into the "magic" genre.

Cardcaptor Sakura (https://myanimelist.net/anime/232/Cardcaptor_Sakura)

Probably the most notable magic show I was surprised wasn't on your list. Your enjoyment of this show depends on whether you like or don't like the magical girl genre. Tried to check your score on Madoka and see if you enjoyed it, but I couldn't find it. Anyways, moving on.

Commonly referred to as one of the best magical girl anime, CCS really highlights everything great about the mahou shoujo genre. It blends sweet moments, magical battles, dark moments, and romance all in one package. Unlike Madoka Magica, the overall tone of this show is pretty lighthearted, and it's very episodic - just as a number of other shows of it's time were (Bebop, Outlaw Star, etc). The show focuses on a main cast for the most part, all of which get a vast amount of development and are pretty unique. The animation for this show is really pretty, and the OPs/EDs are all great as well. I would probably slowly complete this show alongside something else unless you're a big fan of the magical girl schpiel, especially since this one is 70 episodes long. I'll be honest, this one actually took me two or three months to finish, but it was well worth it. It's one of my favorites in the magic genre, and just in general.

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Hey we gotta keep AA alive, amirite

I got you, working on yours now. Welcome back.

Nine - September 12, 2016, 8:04 pm

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I'll check out this.

I'll never watch Index and not sure if I want to watch Sakura.

Xepher The Cat - September 12, 2016, 11:34 pm

https://myanimelist.net/animelist/Xepher_The_Cat
some sick romance anime pls

RainbowHentAi - September 13, 2016, 12:04 am

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Programmargorp - September 13, 2016, 2:11 am

<https://myanimelist.net/animelist/programmargorp>

Some sick type A story driven shows pls.

Gladly - September 16, 2016, 5:23 pm

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Lucky Star (<https://myanimelist.net/anime/1887/Lucky?Star>)

If you're a fan of the high-school cute girls doing cute things, Lucky Star is right up your alley. The show likes to make plenty of references to other anime and some gamer/otaku culture through one of it's main characters, Konota. Aside from her, the rest of the cast are your standard cutesy moe characters in daily situations and high school life. Episode 1 is drastically slower than the rest of the show, so I suggest giving it a few episodes and seeing if you like it.

Like I mentioned earlier, the show parodies plenty of other anime, so if you're pretty familiar with shows like Gundam, Sergeant Frog and Initial D, you'll probably enjoy it more. The dub has a pretty solid cast, and the Japanese dub is great too.

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Since you gave Clannad a 10:

Kanon 2006 (https://myanimelist.net/anime/1530/Kanon_2006)

Part of the famous Kyoto Animation trio consisting of Clannad, Air, and this show, Kanon (2006) is an adaption of the same-named visual novel. The stories feel pretty similar, and the main characters are pretty similar in the way they act and their sarcastic humor. Both are also very feelsy; I nearly cried at the end of Clannad, and felt the same way at the end of Kanon. If you're looking for a romance that will make you pretty emotional, this is your show.

Paradise Kiss (https://myanimelist.net/anime/322/Paradise_Kiss)

One of my favorite Madhouse works and favorite romances, Paradise Kiss is a shoujo romance, which may be a good thing or a bad thing, depending on who you are. The plot revolves around our main character getting sucked into the world of fashion designers, and it's a pretty quick watch at 12 episodes.

So what is it that's good about this show? Well, it's not your typical romance. You won't see any "hold hands on the 24th episode" crap, and to be quite frank, the romance element is actually pretty accurate to real life, and the plot feels somewhat realistic. The art style is kinda different, in a good way. Has more of a touch of realism in the facial features, but it still has the zany anime feel.

Been very busy, sorry for the wait everyone! I will get to the rest tonight.

Azsry - September 22, 2016, 3:02 am

(Sep 16, 2016 05:23 PM)Gladly Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Man, so much moe...

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Man I tried watching Lucky Star...I really did. The pacing just made me want to punch my screen so many times in the first episode that I had to stop. Same thing happened with Minami-ke and Hidamari Sketch ?

I guess I'll just have to stick with mass-consuming seasonal anime for now.

RainbowHentAi - September 28, 2016, 12:22 pm

I just wanted to play monopoly.

And yes I really did bump this thread with that