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Thread: [Horror Anime for Halloween!](#)

SkullCandy - October 28, 2016, 4:58 pm

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Anyways, over the next few days I suggest watching a few of these to get into the Halloween spirit. Here are the links:

[Crunchyroll](#)

[MyAnimeList](#)

There isn't exactly a PV for this considering the length of the episodes, but here is the intro:

Mr.Cat - October 28, 2016, 5:00 pm

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RainbowHentAi - October 28, 2016, 5:17 pm

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I know, that is why I offered up this show - it is a very different kind of anime, there isn't much like it so get to night time, turn all the lights off and sit in your bed alone with this show and see if it doesn't even creep you out a little after a few episodes.

LastSession II - October 28, 2016, 5:44 pm

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Personally I love Parasyte, it is a very unique show. This show is also a unique show although nothing like Parasyte; I mean the closest thing to that I can think of is Tokyo Ghoul. Parasyte is like a mix between Tokyo Ghoul and Assassination Classroom xD Ummm When They Cry is also a good horror anime though, a little unsettling although not super creepy or anything :)

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DerMensch24 - October 28, 2016, 8:01 pm

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BR?ND?N - October 28, 2016, 8:25 pm

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SkullCandy - October 28, 2016, 9:06 pm

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I've kinda been wanting to watch that one, but isn't really something I normally watch.

I might give it a try here soon

Constantia - October 29, 2016, 12:18 pm

I'll check it out, thanks :)

Btw, Pupa is also a weird show.

Black Hole - October 29, 2016, 1:10 pm

Can we consider Boku no Pico a horror film?

Esdese - October 29, 2016, 1:13 pm

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Constantia - October 29, 2016, 2:32 pm

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It's more gory imo.

Full Metal Panic Fumoffu has some spooky episodes too.

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O, in that case I'd suggest Serial Experiments Lain, Mirai Nikki, Higurashi No Naku Koro Ni, Shiki,
and Monster ;)

Canalave - October 29, 2016, 7:02 pm

Thanks for this. I'll definitely be sure to give this series a watch once I have the time. ?

iPhooey - October 29, 2016, 11:58 pm

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I think you might be thinking of Shinreigari: Ghost Hound, because as far as I am aware - Shirow Masamune hasn't had any involvement with this show.

There are other non-scary/creepy shows with the odd scare in them that could be very suitable for halloween. Some people just like the horror theme for Halloween, not the scare or anything. That is when shows like Psycho-Pass, Parasyte, Tokyo Ghoul and stuff like that come in :)

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Samesies - October 30, 2016, 2:12 pm

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Yeah I know, thats why I told everyone about the anime in the post.

Yes, that's absolutely right. The ending was rushed and had so much potential wasted.

The other episodes weren't bad imo.

xbryan - October 31, 2016, 8:59 pm

if you read manga's, then check these:

1. ana satsujin - this is the best from what i think. it has some boring arcs, but the ending is awesome.

2.DEAD Tube - not end yet, it's about school,murders,yandere this is good and has plot twists. it's awesome.

3.Tasogare Otome x Amnesia - about school life,romance,ghost, feels good anime with that has a nice ending.

Shadow Reign - November 1, 2016, 3:17 pm

Little late to the party but you could always watch the Dead Space anime shorts. They're a bit on the horror side although they can get a bit stale.

Ernis45 - November 3, 2016, 2:18 am

Well this is intresting topic. I prefer not to watch Horror movies, it gets me a bit crazy. But horror anime might be a thing for me, I think i will start with Parasyte or other, softer ones.

Null - November 3, 2016, 3:25 am

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I finished season one recently ?

Should I watch s2

Killer_Keemstar - November 16, 2016, 7:36 am

highschool of dead i would say or corpse party i only watched corpse tough :/ gl !

robinho200 - November 30, 2016, 8:10 pm

oooh is good anime thanks a lot

Aura - December 1, 2016, 3:59 pm

Another, Ghost Hunt, Shiki. I really need more horror show.

NKVD - December 9, 2016, 6:45 pm

I bet someone here has already posted it but Another was fuckin spooky as shit at times.

Edit: there we go lmao