

Welcome to our Summer Anime Youth club!

We have put together an exciting and immersive anime experience!

We will be providing a summer long anime youth club at De Montfort University.

We aim to create a fun and entertaining experience for a maximum of 10 individuals in their early teens.

We will be showcasing two anime films and one anime tv series spanning over
July - August

***Howl's Moving Castle, A Silent Voice,
The Disastrous Life Of Saiki K!***

Come along to watch these amazing animes and win these epic prizes! We hope to have fun with this project and we hope to see you soon!

Open for more details

Here are the dates for the events:

Howl's Moving Castle:

Sunday 18th July 3pm to 5.30pm

A Silent Voice:

Sunday 29th August 3pm to 5.30pm

The Disastrous Life Of Saiki K:

Thursday 22nd July 3 to 5pm

Thursday 29th July 3 to 5pm

Thursday 5th July 3 to 5pm

Thursday 12th August 3 to 5pm

Thursday 19th August 3 to 5pm

Thursday 26th August 3 to 5pm

Alongside that, we will be providing some fun goody bags filled with pleasant surprises.

We will also be creating fun bingo cards for each of the Saiki K screenings! The first person to complete the bingo card will get a prize!

Howl's Moving Castle:

Howl's Moving Castle is a masterpiece in many ways. With its beautiful story about persevering through adolescence, the alluring world building, the attention to detail on each of the character designs and the charms of the characters are just a few examples of what makes Howl's Moving Castle so fantastic.

We begin with our protagonist, Sophie Hatter, who lives an uneventful life at her late father's hat shop. But all that changes when she befriends wizard Howl, who lives in a magical moving castle. However, when the evil Witch of The Waste is filled with jealousy with their budding relationship, she casts a spell on young Sophie, ageing her prematurely. Now Howl must use all his magical talents to battle the possessive witch and return Sophie to her former youth and beauty.

Howl's Moving Castle, released in 2004, is the 15th movie in Studio Ghibli filmography. The film was so successful it went on to gross \$190 million in Japan and \$236 million worldwide, making it one of the most financially successful Japanese films in history!

Join Sophie and Howl on their quest to break the curse!

A Silent Voice:

(Warning: This film has heavy themes centered around depression, anxiety and suicide)

A Silent Voice revolves around Shoko Nishiyama, a primary school student with impaired hearing. She transfers into a new school, where she is bullied relentlessly by her fellow classmates, especially Shoya Ishida.

It intensifies to the point where she transfers to another school which consequently results with Shoya being ostracized and bullied himself. Shoya sets out on a path of redemption as he tries to pick up the pieces of the mess he left behind.

A Silent Voice tells an important message about the effects of bullying and how it can lead to dealing with greater consequences. Instead of setting characters to be solely good or bad, we are left to decide based on the events we see before us. What is most striking, is the remarkable accuracy of how our mistakes leave their marks on us as we progress forward in life.

Get sucked into the emotional rollercoaster that is A Silent Voice (bring some tissues)

The Disastrous Life Of Saiki K:

Welcome to the disastrous life of Saiki k!

Saiki Kusuo, on the surface, is a seemingly normal teenager: The show takes a light-hearted approach into the bizarre day-to-day life of what it's like to be born with powers, whilst also trying to disguise it from his peers.

His attempts to fly under the radar prove difficult, as classmates seem enamoured by him. Plus, being able to read everyone's mind is more exhausting than entertaining. Follow the misadventures of Saiki Kusuo life as he makes new friends (not by choice) and lands himself in comical situations.

Saiki K is originally based off of the manga series with the same name and has 26 volumes. Its uniqueness is captivating, with its humorous plot making both the manga series and anime work so well. Saiki is the opposite of what you see in most superhero storylines: He doesn't want his powers, in fact, he strives for normality.

Saiki K is full to the brim with comedic scenarios, fast-paced humour, and deadpan humour: You'll be amazed by the interactions between Saiki and his classmates, along with the situations in which they land themselves in!

Fun Fact: Saiki Ku is pronounced almost identically to the word for Psychic in Japanese!

We hope you enjoy this experience and come to our screenings over your summer break. We want this anime youth club to give people the chance to re-connect again after a long stressful time with COVID and school.

if you are new to the anime genre or a longtime fan, we encourage you to come! You may find like-minded individuals who share the same interests with you!

We hope to have fun with this project and we hope to see you soon!

Refreshments will be served, and there will be an opportunity to see Leicester Gallery's current exhibition, We are Commoners.

To book a place for these screenings please email LeicesterGallery@dmu.ac.uk

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