

Anime Los Angeles 21 Hall Cosplay Contest Rules

General

- All entrants must be a registered attendee of Anime Los Angeles by the time of their entry.
- Group entries are allowed, but will count as a single entry, and are therefore only eligible for a single prize should their entry win an Overall Award.
- Each contestant may enter as many times as desired, however each costume item may only be entered once per year, and you will only be eligible for one Overall Award per year.
- Awards will be granted to the convention attendee who created the costume item. If you do not want to wear the costume item yourself, you may choose to have another registered convention attendee wear the costume for you.
- All awards are given at the discretion of our Judges. If you have any questions or concerns, you can contact hallcosplay@animelosangeles.org

Eligible Costume Items

- Eligible costume items include and are not limited to: full cosplays, props, wigs, detail work, accessories, makeup, etc. Anything that could be considered as part of a costume is eligible.
- All costume items entered are expected to follow Anime Los Angeles's convention policies.
- Attendees competing in this year's ALA Masquerade are not eligible for major awards.
- Costume items competing in this year's ALA Masquerade are not eligible for any awards.
- Costume items cannot have previously won a major construction award (Best in Show, Best Craftsmanship, 1st/2nd/3rd Place, etc. Presentation Awards do not count) at any competition.
- If purchased, costume items must have been altered in a noticeable way by the entrant to be eligible for our construction & creativity-based awards.

Office Hours

- If taking part in Office Hours judging, contestants born on or after January 11th, 2008 ("minor participants") will need a guardian's permission at the time of arrival. • Winners of our Major Awards will be notified via text and call within 2 hours of daily Office Hours judging closing. Winners will need to respond with confirmation via one of those methods within 2 hours or the award will be passed to the next eligible contestant. • Certain major award winners will have the opportunity to walk the stage in their winning costume at the Masquerade on Saturday of the convention. Additional consent forms and information will be provided when notification of the award is sent.
- Office Hours judging is subject to the hours listed on our webpage. While we will try to get through as many entrants as possible and cap the line as needed, we cannot guarantee that your costume item will be judged after the hours end, even if you are in

line.