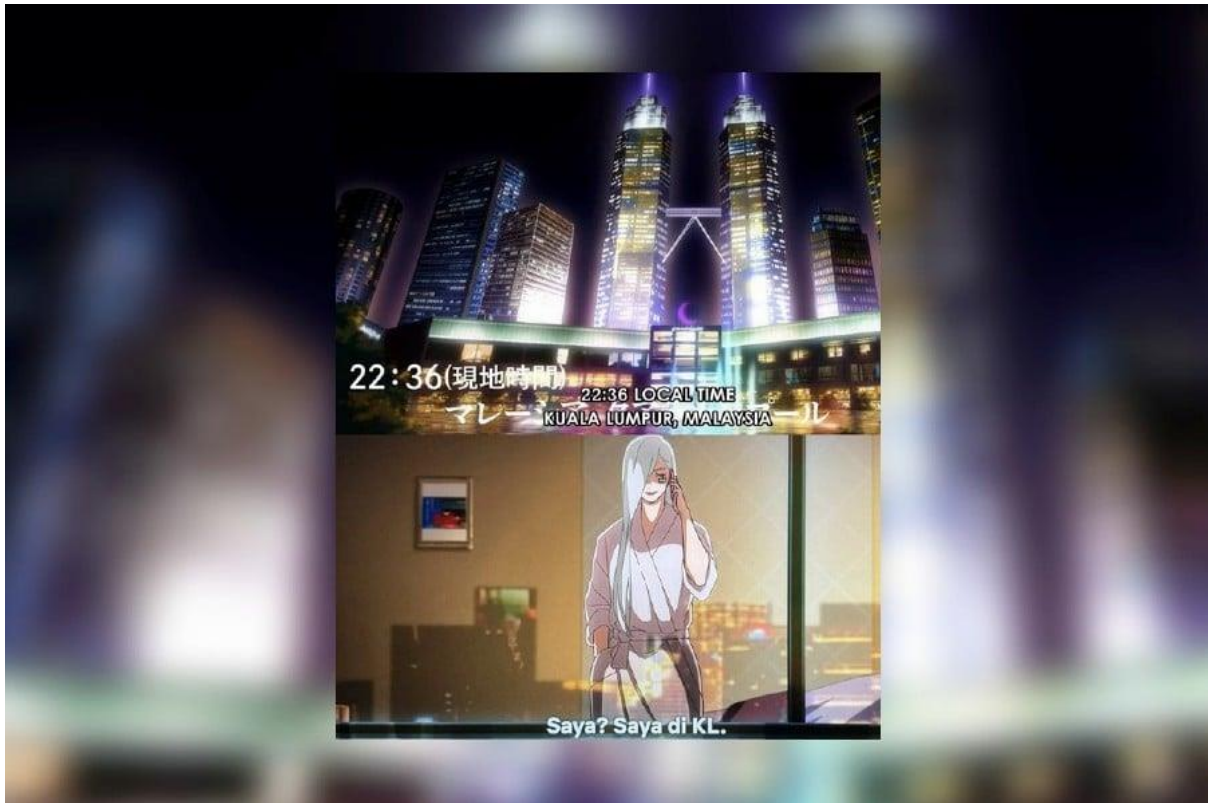


#NSTviral: 'Jujutsu Kaisen' features KL in latest episode

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KUALA LUMPUR: Popular Japanese animation television series – Jujutsu Kaisen manga artist, Gege Akutami has showcased an affinity for Malaysia by featuring Kuala Lumpur in episode 45, which aired on Dec 22.

In the episode, characters Mei Mei and her brother Ui Ui travelled to Kuala Lumpur after narrowly escaping a battle with an enemy concealed within Geto Suguru's body.

The audience witnessed their reappearance in the episode, where Mei Mei and Ui Ui utilised her brother's ability to journey to Kuala Lumpur in search of shelter.

The episode showcased the iconic skyline of the Petronas Twin Towers, as well as Mei Mei and Ui Ui resting in a luxurious hotel room in the capital city.

In the manga version, however, the Sultan Abdul Samad Building was featured instead of the twin towers.

Meanwhile, in a recent post on X, @TGVCinemas joined the chorus of excited Malaysians on social media celebrating the animated KLCC in the series.

Another user on X, @syuk_ramlee, expressed excitement, saying, "Wow, Jujutsu Kaisen seems to be more interested in Malaysia. Today, they featured KLCC."

Earlier on Dec 5, it was reported that [the series highlighted a beach in Kuantan](#), expressing the main character Nanami's desire to visit and settle down in Malaysia, specifically in Kuantan, before the death of the protagonist, Yuji Itadori.

The Pahang government looks set to capitalise on the newfound fame the state capital has been receiving after it was mentioned by the anime and manga character Kento Nanami in episode 42 of the Jujutsu Kaisen series last week.

State Unity, Tourism and Culture Committee chairman Leong Yu Man said Kuantan had been trending on social media after it was mentioned in Jujutsu Kaisen.

"Recently, a beach in Kuantan was mentioned in the popular Japanese anime series Jujutsu Kaisen. Kuantan became trending and popular among anime enthusiasts... the state government will take the opportunity to promote the beach," she said in the Pahang state assembly sitting here today.