

Basic Detail Report



Kimono and Hifu

Date

1940-1970

Artist/Maker

Unknown, Japanese

Medium

Cloth, silk

Description

Boy's kimono and hifu vest set for New Year and other special occasions. The decorative motifs include hobby horses, kites, pull-toys in the form of treasure ships (takarabune), drums, bells, and cats. These motifs alternate with solid purple or blue squares with a plaid overlay resembling ikat. The vest has a white collar with pleated trim. Both garments have a cream silk lining and are padded for warmth.

Dimensions

Kimono: 29.25 x 30.5 in ; Hifu: 17.75 x 15.75 in

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