Basic Detail Report

Title Boy's Jacket

Date about 1790-1810

Primary Maker Unknown

Medium Hand-stitched cotton

Description Short-waisted jacket for a small boy, made of dark brown plainwoven cotton. It is the top half of a skeleton suit. Collarless, with revers at neck opening. Three self-covered buttons at center front opening. Four other buttons around waist would have attached to the pants, which are no longer extant. The sleeves are made of a brown cotton that is not quite as dark as the fabric used for the jacket body. The lower edge of the jacket is lined with a brown and tan striped plain-woven cotton. This coat was probably worn with shirt 2001.49.35. Dimensions Primary Dimensions (length x width across shoulders): $8\ 1/2\ x\ 13$ in. $(21.6\ x\ 33cm)$