

Title Child's Jacket

Date about 1860

Primary Maker Unknown

Medium Hand-stitched cotton, with wool/cotton soutache braid and jet and brass buttons

Description Child's jacket of white marseilles, woven in a diamond grid pattern.

The jacket has a wide neckline and center front opening. The bottom edge of the jacket is cut in four curves, meeting at the sides and center front and center back. All edges are trimmed with black soutache braid. The short, flared sleeves and the lower front and back within the curves are decorated with soutache laid out in a loop and diamond pattern that grows wider towards the bottom. The jacket fastens with eight faceted jet buttons.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (length x width): 10 x 17 1/4in. (25.4 x 43.8cm)