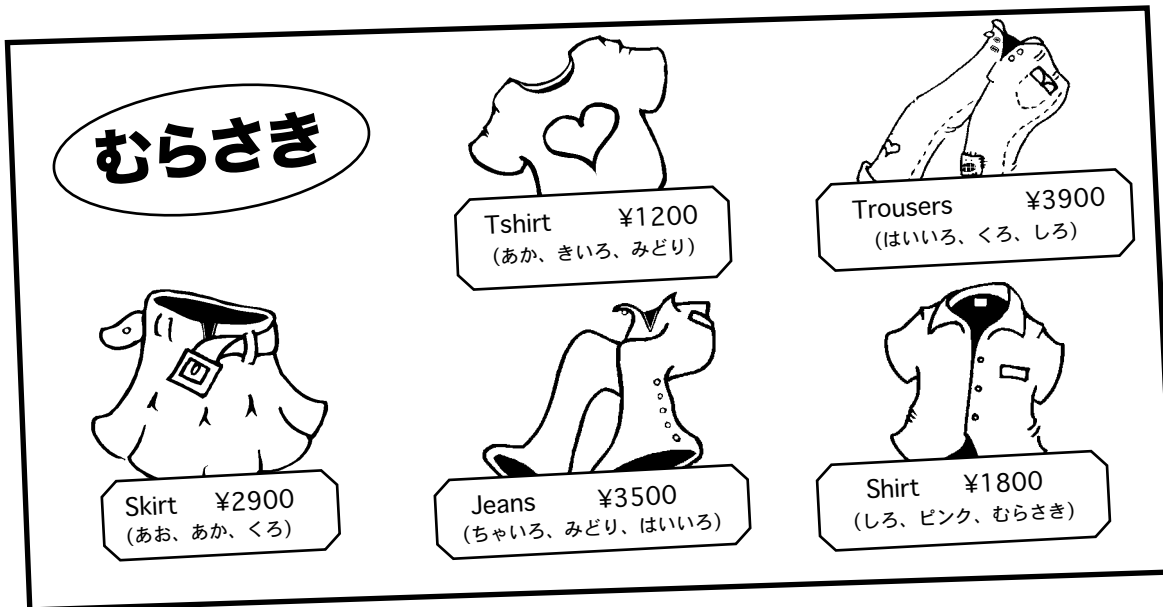




AT HOME - My clothes

Reality Check

Take a look at this brochure showing the clothes at a department store.



1. What is the name of the store? _____
3. What colours do t-shirts come in? _____
3. What colours do trousers come in? _____
4. How much are the shorts? _____
5. Which is the more expensive item – shirts or skirts? _____

Eye on Japan

Nowadays in Japan, traditional clothing is usually only worn for festivals or formal occasions such as weddings.

Research traditional Japanese clothing. Find out what men, women and children traditionally wore. What is the clothing called? What is worn on the feet? What do single and married women wear differently? Can you find out some of the festivals when traditional clothes are worn? When are these festivals held?

Using the information you have discovered in your research create a poster on traditional clothing. Include a labelled diagram and a short explanation about special clothing for festivals.

Let's get technical

Scan the pictures of Emily and Yoshi that appear on page 34. Using a program such as Microsoft Paint, draw an outfit onto each of them.

Insert your drawings into a Word document. Write a description in Japanese of what Emily and Yoshi are wearing, that you could use as a fashion show script. Try to include as much detail as you can, including colours and descriptive words such as 'too big' or 'just right'. When you have finished, print out your work and display it around the classroom.