

First, fix your make up and/or hair and put on an underdress.

Japanese summers are very humid so the underdess will protect your skin from discomfort.



Put yukata on and decide where the bottom adjustment line is going to be.
Spread your arms while holding on the collar and adjust so that the anckles are covered.



While holding on yukata, bring your left hand slightly above the right hip bone.

Making sure nothing slips out, pick the inner length.



Bring your left arm back and repeat the same adjustment on the other side.

This time asjust the bottom edge of yukata's outer layer to be 3-4cm longer, that way Yukata will look more beautiful.



Tiying Yukata with a waist string.
While making sure the shape isn's
breaking apart, tie the waist string
right below the waisline around hips.



Adjusting the extra material.
Put your hands into the openings
(located under armpits on both sides)
and smooth all the exess material out.
Repeat on the back as well.



Hold the collar on both sides with one hand, with the other hand pull thematerial at the center of your back down.

Adjust so that one fist can fit between the back of the neck and the collar.



Tiying the second waist string.
Cross the string on the back
and tie under the chest.
Cut the exess with scissors if necessary.



Smooth out material in the back.
Put both your hands behind your back,
hold onto material closer to shoulders
and pull down and outwards
until all wrinkles are gone.



Final adjustments.
Smoothen any wrinkles left by tucking the exess material above the string under it.
Repeat untill all wrinkles are gone.





Take the edge of the obi, put it to the center of your stomach and wrap it around.



Adjust both ends and tie the attached threads to secure in place.



Tuck the extra tread under obi.



Turn the overlap to the back.



Align the OBI ribbon at the center of the back.



Tightly tie the string in the front.



Tuck the string uder the Obi so it's not visible.



Yukata Parts Names in Japanese



Other Yukata TIPS & FACTS.



Wear Geta ahead of time to get used to them. Or just use bandaids where geta touches your feet,

EMERGENCY

Yukata doesn't sit right anymore!

OBI became loose

Pad with a towel at the back.

Bottom edges are out of order

Adjust the following way: Back - tug on the back of ohashyori Bottom layer - Right side of collar Top layer - Left side of collar.

ETIQUETTE

Which side goes on top?

