



夏は、夜。
月の頃は、さらなり。
闇もなほ。螢飛びらがひたる、
……おかし

Enjoy Japanese-style

“TATAMI” mat!



お部屋が大好きだった!?

清少納言も畳の

(Let's study about “TATAMI”)

When did we come to live in the room in the “TATAMI” mat?

History of Japanese and "TATAMI" mat

It is generally called the "Heian-period" that the "TATAMI" mat where the rush and straw were made a material began to be used in the life of the Japanese. Moreover, the "TATAMI" mat bed that the emperor used is kept in "Shousou-in" in Nara Prefecture, and the relation between the Japanese and the "TATAMI" mat is old. It is from a "Muromachi-period" to have come to spread the "TATAMI" mat over the room like a present Japanese-style room. Till then, the "TATAMI" mat was put on the floor



when it was necessary and it used it. However, if it was not a person with high position, the "TATAMI" mat was not able to be used. Generally, it is a thing after it enters "Edo period" that the "TATAMI" mat merged.

By the way, was "Seishonagon" using the "TATAMI" mat?

The “TATAMI” mat is various now.

The point of how to choose is checked!

**Takeshi,
Takeshi get up!**
If the position was not high,
it was not possible to
live in the room in the
“TATAMI” mat.



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