

## Dress up in a costume!

In the story, “Julian is a Mermaid” by Jessica Love Julian used his abuela’s plant, curtain, and necklace to dress up and pretend to be a mermaid. In this activity you’ll need things that you already have, to pretend play someone or something you want to be. Be creative like Julian, there is no right or wrong in dressing up and pretending to be someone or something. Just make sure you use your imagination, have a parade in your home and help clean-up after.



Some [DRDP](#) Skills Practiced: ALT REG 1: Attention to Maintenance, SED 1: Self-Awareness in Relationship to Others, SED 2: Social and Emotional Understanding, SED 3: Relationships and Social Interactions with Familiar Adults, SED 5: Symbolic and Socio Dramatic Play, LLD 3: Communication and Use of Language (Expressive), VPA 3: Drama  
Some [California Preschool Learning Foundation](#) Key Knowledge and Skills: Self-Awareness, Self-Regulation, Social and Emotional Understanding, Interaction with Familiar Adults, Cooperation and Responsibility, Develop in Skills in Drama, Create, Invent, and Express through Drama