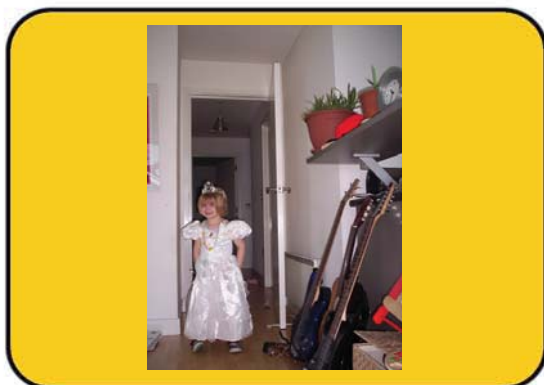
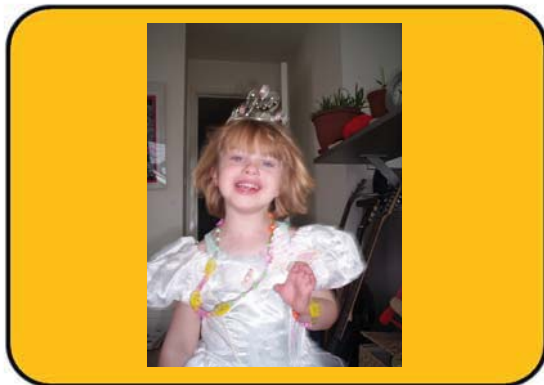


# Children Have A Strong Sense Of Identity

Name: FionaRoom: PreschoolEducator: Ms JulieDate: Jan 16, 2014

## The Learning Journey

Fiona arrived at the centre wearing her princess dress. "That's special" Ms. Julie said. "It's my birthday today and aunt Judy got this for me" Fiona commented. "That's right it is your birthday today, happy birthday Fiona" Ms Julie replied. Toby and Mackenzie ran up to Fiona "Happy birthday princess Fiona" Mackenzie said. "Just like shrek" Toby commented and they all began to laugh. My mum made a cake" Fiona said. "Yummy, can I see" Mckenzie asked. "its in the fridge" Fiona replied. "Mackenzie you can dress up like me" Fiona suggested. Mckenzie nodded. They held hands and walked over to dress ups, Toby followed behind. Fiona saw a pink princess dress picked it up and showed it to Mckenzie "you want this one" Fiona asked. "Yeah alright" Mckenzie replied. "Lets go to play dough we can make a cake for Fiona's birthday" Toby suggested "good idea" Fiona said. "It's al our birthdays today" Fiona laughed.

## Evaluation / Reflection

Through this experience it is evident that Fiona feels safe, secure and supported (1.1). She senses and responds to a feeling of belonging, initiates and joins in play and initiates interactions and establishes and maintains respectful, trusting relationships with peers and other educators.

## What's Next

To extend on this experience we will provide kitchen equipment to sand pit play.

## Parent Feedback

Fiona was very excited to receive her special present that Aunt Judy sent by air mail.