

Saint Patrick's Day Activities for March 16- 21

Language Arts

Read/Listen “How to Catch a Leprechaun” <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uyg32H5eBNk>
Then build a leprechaun trap (see Science section below)

Write your own story about how to catch a leprechaun

Write a story about what you would do if you found a pot of gold at the end of the rainbow

How many small words can you make using only the letters in LEPRECHAUN in 5 minutes?

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Math

How much money in that pot of gold? Put coins into a pot or any container or small bag that you can't see into. Without peeking grab a handful and make a guess as to how much money you have. Now count your money and see how close you were. (Use just pennies for little ones, just nickles or dimes when learning to count by 5s or 10s, or mix them all up for a challenge)

See Computer Games below

Science

Build a trap to catch a leprechaun <https://littlebinsforlittlehands.com/easy-kids-leprechaun-trap-ideas-st-patricks-day-activity/>

Rainbow Facts <http://www.sciencekids.co.nz/sciencefacts/weather/rainbows.html>

Rainbow Experiment <http://www.sciencekids.co.nz/experiments/makearainbow.html>

Social Studies

History of St. Patrick's Day

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MqO0O8O8Gmk>

<http://www.history.com/topics/st-patricks-day>

<https://kids.nationalgeographic.com/explore/celebrations/st-patricks-day/>

Ireland facts <https://kids.nationalgeographic.com/explore/countries/ireland/>

Color a map of Ireland <https://www.coloring.ws/t.asp?t=https://www.coloring.ws/ireland/1.gif>

Art

Paint a rainbow with watercolors

Draw rainbows on the sidewalk with chalk

Make a collage using only green paper and other green items

Music

Listen to some Irish Music <https://www.letsplaykidsmusic.com/celtic-songs-for-st-patricks-day-kids/>

Physical Activity

Irish dance <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UklnEUrfW7w>

Take a walk outside – how many green things do you see?

Computer Games

<https://www.primarygames.com/holidays/st.patricksday/games.php>

Just for Fun

So Much Green!

Who can wear the most green today?

How many green foods can you think of? Plan a meal with all green foods.

Hot or Cold? Hide a small pot of gold (any container with a few pennies in it will do). Have a friend hunt for the pot. You tell them if they're COLD (very far away), COLDER (moving even farther away), WARM (close), WARMER (moving toward the pot), HOT (getting very close)

St. Patrick's Day Scavenger Hunt - Work as a team or on your own

https://foodfunfamily.com/wp-content/uploads/2016/02/St_Patrick_39_s_Day_Scavenger_Hunt_for_Kids_from_F.pdf