

St. Patrick's Day



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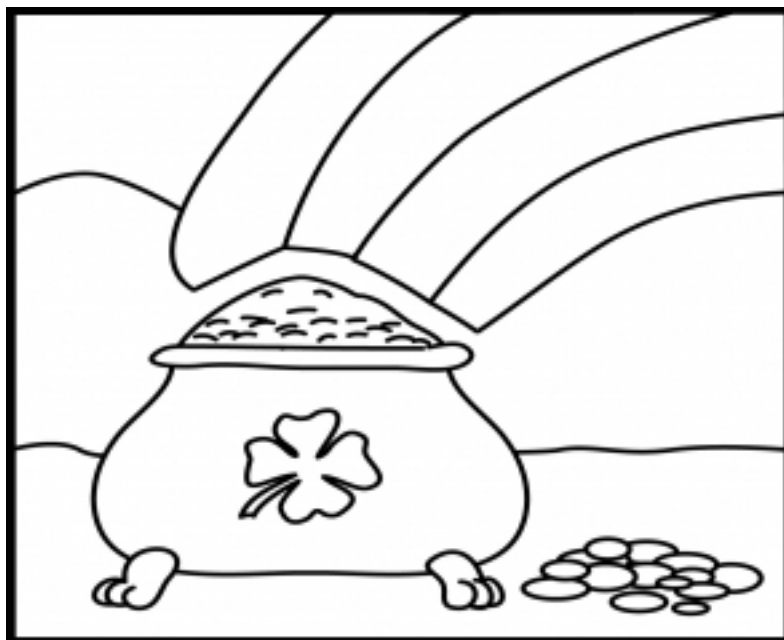
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Happy Saint Patrick's Day!

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Saint Patrick loved God and loved people!

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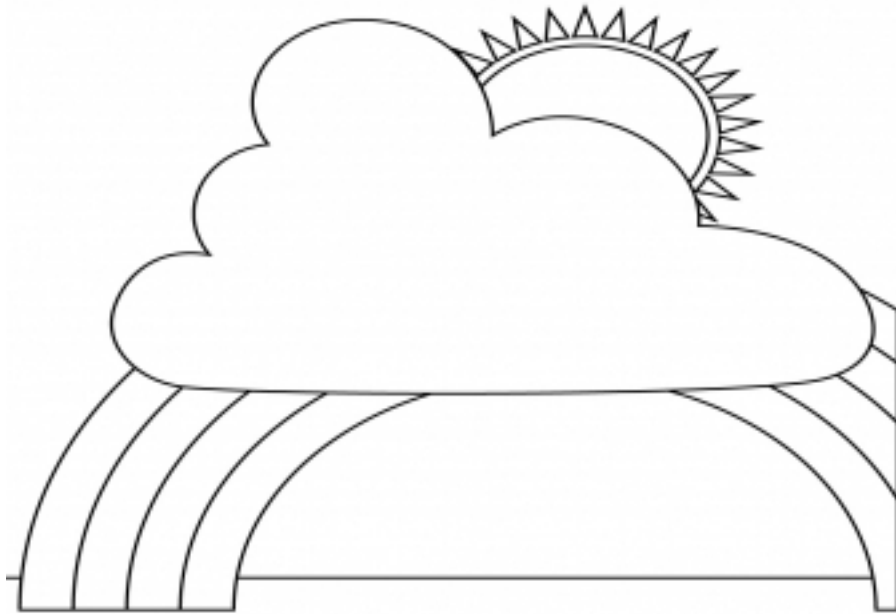
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*March comes in like a
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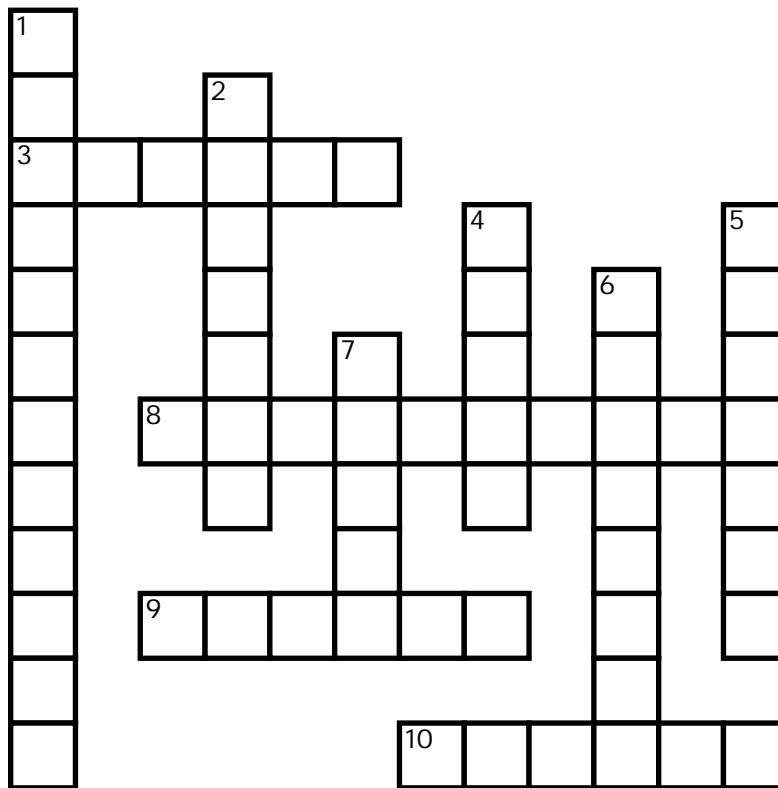
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St. Patrick's Day Knowledge



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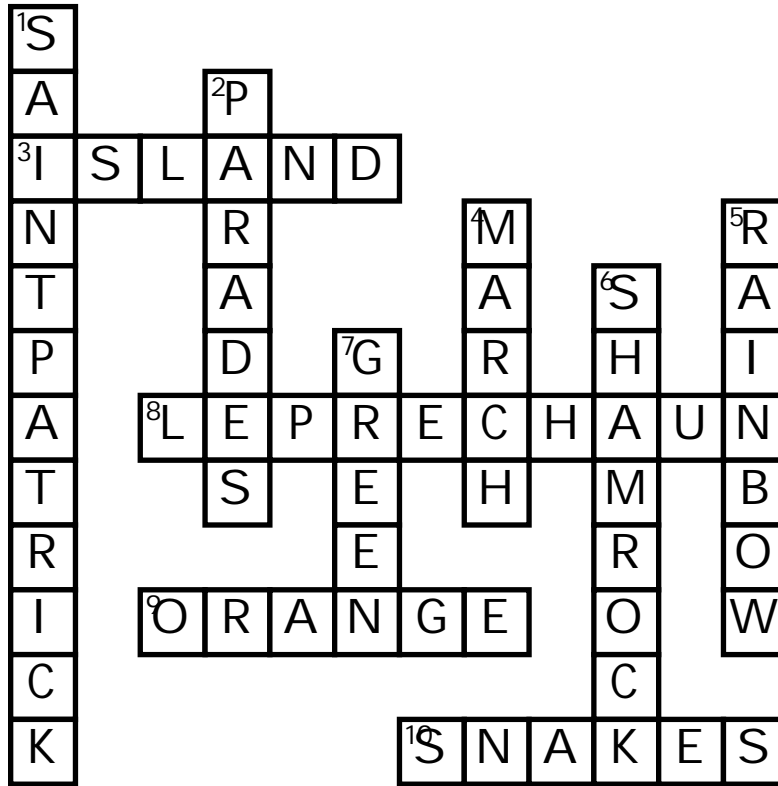
- 3. Ireland is this type of landform (surrounded by water)
- 8. Magic creatures from Irish legends who lead to pots of gold
- 9. Colors on Irish flag: Green, White, and....
- 10. Legend says Saint Patrick rid Ireland of all these animals



Down

- 1. Patron Saint of Ireland, known for bringing Christianity to Ireland
- 2. Celebrations in some cities with include include bands and floats
- 4. Saint Patrick died on the 17th day of this month
- 5. Find a pot of gold at the end of the...
- 6. Plant Saint Patrick used to teach about the Holy Trinity
- 7. Color people wear to celebrate Ireland and Saint Patrick

St. Patrick's Day Knowledge



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St. Patrick's Day Challenge

R P O C
 F H M R G W T V
 G A F N X Y K T P N B
 L R I I R E L A N D X F H
 F E T W O N G H B O V H H
 I E H S N A K E S N D L N
 N Y L X T M Z C H E D
 P H L X T C V D R T O
 Y E O
 T L D O M N C F O L C M V U X T U M L
 D W X P K U E O U M M Q N I J E Z X K A Z D
 T V Z N H H Z F Y U Q U Z F O X D N E G E L B R E
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 E X Z R U F F E X I Q L N E V W N L F O R M M G R K Q T N H
 L P E M W E P E W Y E V N O L M K B Q U F J W R C V H O
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 W Q O U Z P E Y Z L J N K C I R T A P T N I A S R M I H
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 C Q Q C M I N H P L A O G I D P A R A D E A X I D D
 D D U R W N K A V R G I B L L C P B H O L R
 H B X R M T U R O Y Q F T D H S G J
 F D R V N L G T J Z Y E O
 Z C D U U H C
 D K X B
 Z T I N
 I G L W
 H D O M
 J P Z I E Y
 P Z G V
 Z J E G
 T F T

CLOVER
 IRISH
 RAINBOW
 SLAVE

GOLD
 LEGEND
 SHAMROCK
 FAITH

GREEN
 LEPRECHAUN
 SNAKES
 MARCH

IRELAND
 LUCKY
 SAINT PATRICK
 PARADE



R P O C
 F H M R G W T V
 G A F N X Y K T P N B
 L R I R E L A N D X F H
 F E T W O N G H B O V H H
 I E H S N A K E S N D L N
 N Y L X T M Z C H E D
 P H L X T C V D R T O
 N C F O L C M V U
 O U M M Q N I
 Y U Q U Z F O X
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 X I Q L N E V W N L F O R M M G R K Q T N H
 E W Y E V N O L M K B Q U F J W R C V H O
 P X G A E B K V T C W Y K C U L P O H S
 Y Z L J N K C I R T A P T N I A S R M I H
 B S B I X O L Q E E B B E H X M N R Q D
 P L A O G I D P A R A D E A X I D D
 V R G I B L L C P B H O L R
 R O Y Q F T D H S G J
 L G T J Z Y E Q
 D U U H C
 D K X B
 Z T I N
 I G L W
 H D O M
 J P Z I E Y
 P Z G V
 Z J E G
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St. Patrick's Day Fun

J K U D
 P X W U D Y W Q
 B K K N Z V W P W N Q
 B D P H V P P B X K U M D
 W G D D B E G W H B P H N
 R D J J Z E C L O V E R X
 X X C K K M H P Q Q V
 J Q J Z L D Z J P D M
 D Y U
 Y X X B Q W R Y O M V C G R V O Y U L
 P S N A K E M C V M Z C K R D M F X P E M Q
 K M W U L F B A L B M P N U J C L L L C E B D M H
 D B V Y E U F R J Y J Q K E N K Q M L V D O N C W U
 B N H F N E A C E O S A I N T P A T R I C K G O L D N U Z Q
 R Y N O L I H Z F U B U H Z H P V Z N K U U O V G P X G
 M O Z M T Y I R E L A N D U X J P B E C P K P P W B
 P V N H R H W D K L U C K Z D D C R O S S H X H F Q Z U
 W D C O H K P E H D D W Q Q F D Z J Y H V N O R U K E G
 U W J U G M C L R B E G U X B G O J X C F N N K G M
 C K N F W J R N H B Y G V R Z W Y Q L H E H
 J V W O Z O B M K R V J Q P Y P M N
 U Q F Y Q O E V Y P V E W
 H N K E F Q U
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 L B K C
 N H X P
 Q Q Y P P E
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MARCH
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CLOVER

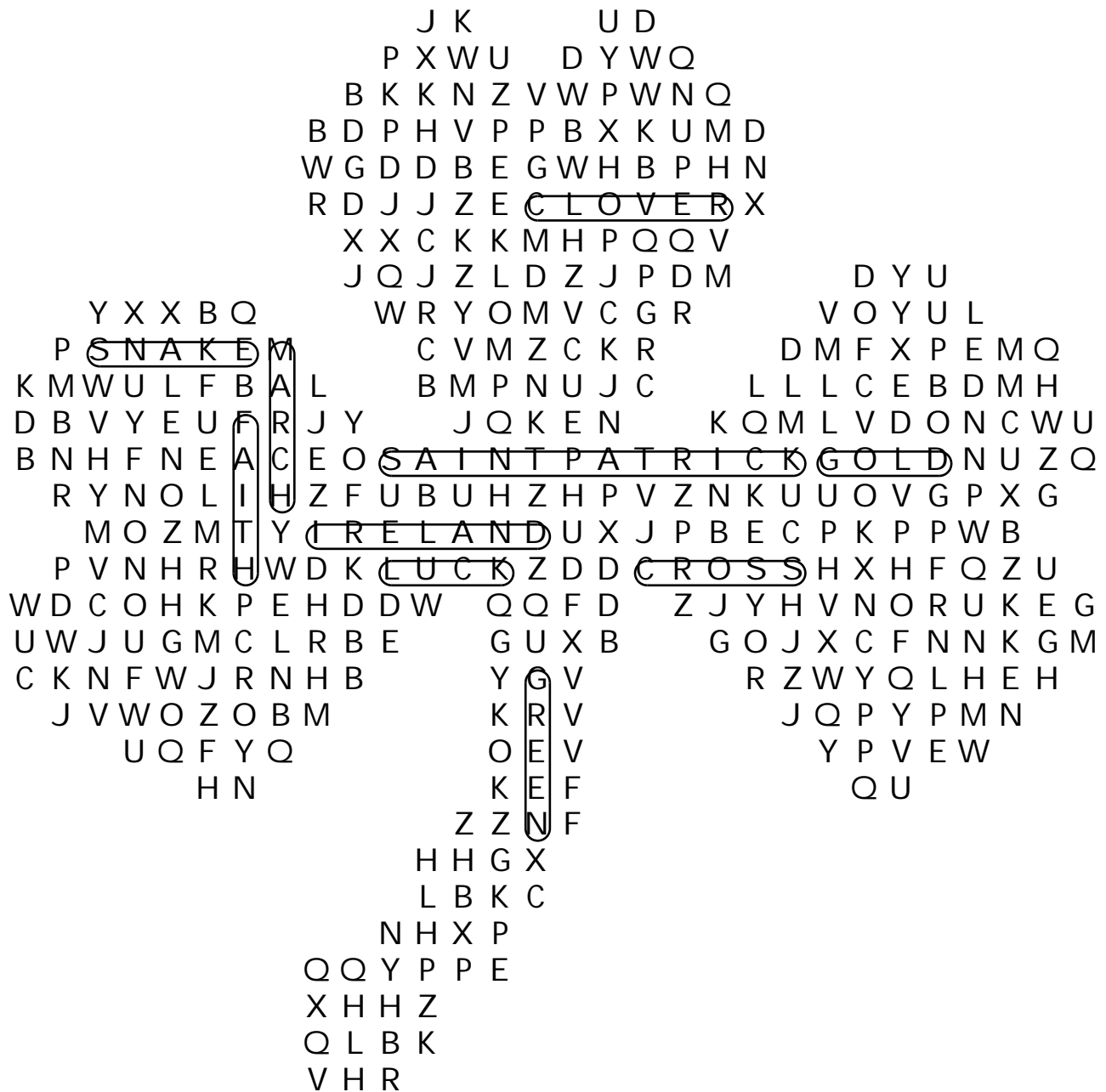
LUCK
SAINT PATRICK
FAITH

GREEN
GOLD

IRELAND
CROSS



St. Patrick's Day Fun



Name: _____

Why is the Shamrock Lucky?



Whenever we find a rare four-leafed, shamrock clover, we get excited! Why? Because shamrocks are lucky! But, what makes a shamrock lucky?

Centuries ago, a group of people called the Druids believed that the four-leaf clover would keep bad spirits away. Other groups of people believed finding a four-leaf clover would bring them good luck as long as they had it in their possession. Now, the entire world accepts the four-leaf clover as a sign of good luck. Many people believe each leaf stands for faith, hope, love, and luck. If you find a four-leaf clover, each of those traits will come to you.

The four-leaf clover is believed to be found in Ireland more than anywhere else in the world, giving the Irish people the nickname, "Luck O'the Irish." During March, around St. Patrick's Day, the four-leaf clover is used as a symbol for the Irish people and the luck that is believed to surround them.

Why is the Four-Leaf Clover Lucky?

1. Who first believed that four-leaf clovers were lucky?
 - a. Scientists
 - b. Druids
 - c. Irish
 - d. Children
2. What trait does NOT represent one of the leaves on a clover?
 - a. Faith
 - b. Fortune
 - c. Love
 - d. Luck
3. What is the nickname for Ireland?
 - a. Luck O'The Irish
 - b. Rolling Green Hills
 - c. Leprechaun Land
 - d. Lucky Land
4. What is the purpose of this text?
 - a. Entertain
 - b. Persuade
 - c. Inform
 - d. None of the Above
5. Do you believe the four-leaf clover to be lucky? Why or why not?

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Use the words in the text boxes to complete the story.

LEPRECHAUN	IRELAND	JIG	GOLD	IRISH
PATRICK'S	MARCH	GREEN	SHAMROCKS	EUROPE



Larry is a small magical man with a hidden treasure. Larry is a _____. Larry is very excited. He is Irish, and it is a day of great celebration in his country of _____.

Larry's favorite holiday is a popular holiday. It is celebrated just before the beginning of spring, in the month of _____. It is celebrated in countries all over the world! What is the day of celebration? It is called "St. _____'s Day".



Larry is excited about the celebration this year. He has new clothes to wear. Of course the clothes are _____ --the color of his country! Larry also has some things to give his friends. He has a bunch of bright green _____, which he picked from his yard this morning. He also thinks he might give his friends a little bit of _____ from his pot.

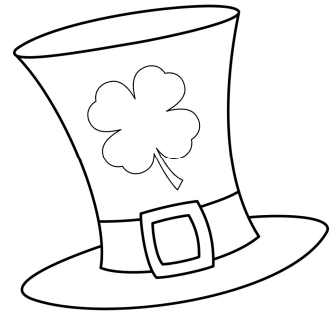
Tonight, Larry will go to a big party. Larry loves to dance the Irish _____. He will eat corned beef and cabbage, listen to harp music, and sing his favorite songs. No wonder this is Larry's favorite holiday: It is filled with wonderful things to do!



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St. Patrick's Day



St. Patrick's Day is on March 17 each year. St. Patrick's day began in Ireland. We wear green for the shamrock. Stories are told about leprechauns, rainbows, and gold.

Circle the correct answer.

1. When is St. Patrick's Day?

April 19 July 4 March 17

2. What color do we wear on St. Patrick's Day?

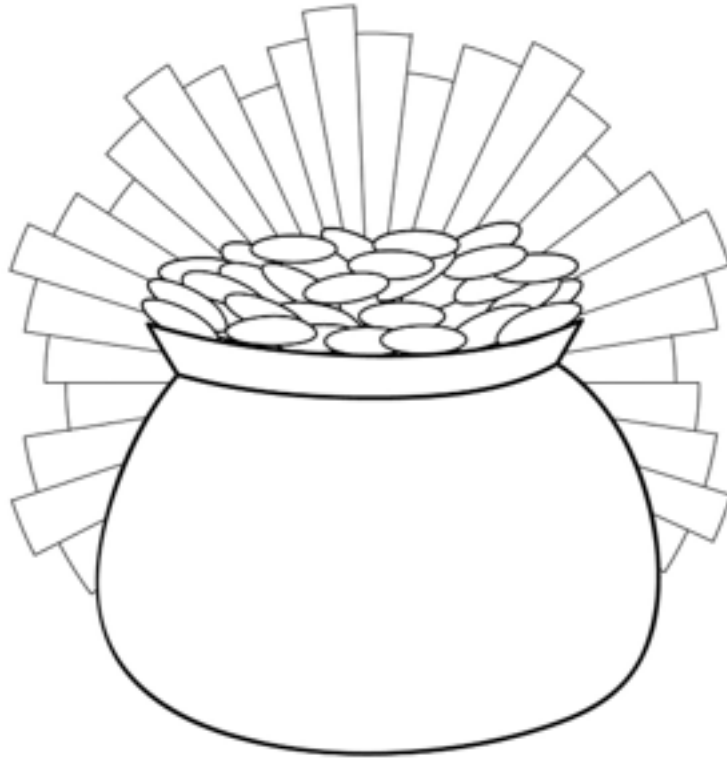
Blue Green Yellow

3. St. Patrick's Day began in Ireland.

yes no

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How Can You Find a Pot O' Gold?



Finding a pot of gold would be so very lucky! Think of what you could do with all of the gold you would find!

If you really want to find a pot of gold, first, you need to look for a rainbow. Look high up into the sky! If it just rained you will have a better chance to see a rainbow. Once you spot a rainbow, follow it all the way down its colorful sides to where you see it meet the ground.

After you see where the rainbow meets the ground, head for that spot. Make sure to be quiet! You need to listen for the sound of the leprechaun's tiny hammer. He will be the one to show you exactly where the pot of gold is! Once you hear the leprechaun, approach him very slowly. Then, ask him in a very kind voice to please lead you to the pot of gold! If it's your lucky day, he will take you there!

How Can You Find a Pot O' Gold?

1. What is the purpose of this passage?
 - a. Inform
 - b. Entertain
 - c. Persuade
 - d. None of the above

2. What is the first step to finding a pot of gold?
 - a. Find a leprechaun
 - b. Look for a rainbow
 - c. Listen for raindrops
 - d. Yell very loudly

3. Why do you need to be quiet when looking for the pot of gold?
 - a. To hear the leprechaun's small hammer
 - b. Because leprechauns scare easily
 - c. To listen for the sound of the gold clanking in the pot
 - d. Because if you are too loud the leprechaun won't help you!

4. Why should you approach the leprechaun slowly?

5. What would you do with a pot of gold?



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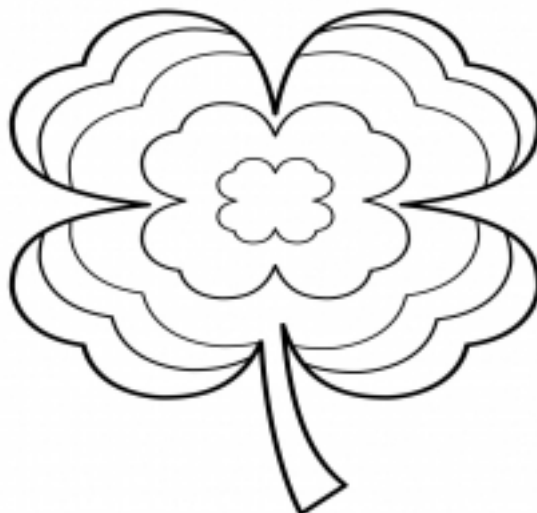


March



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March



Happy Spring

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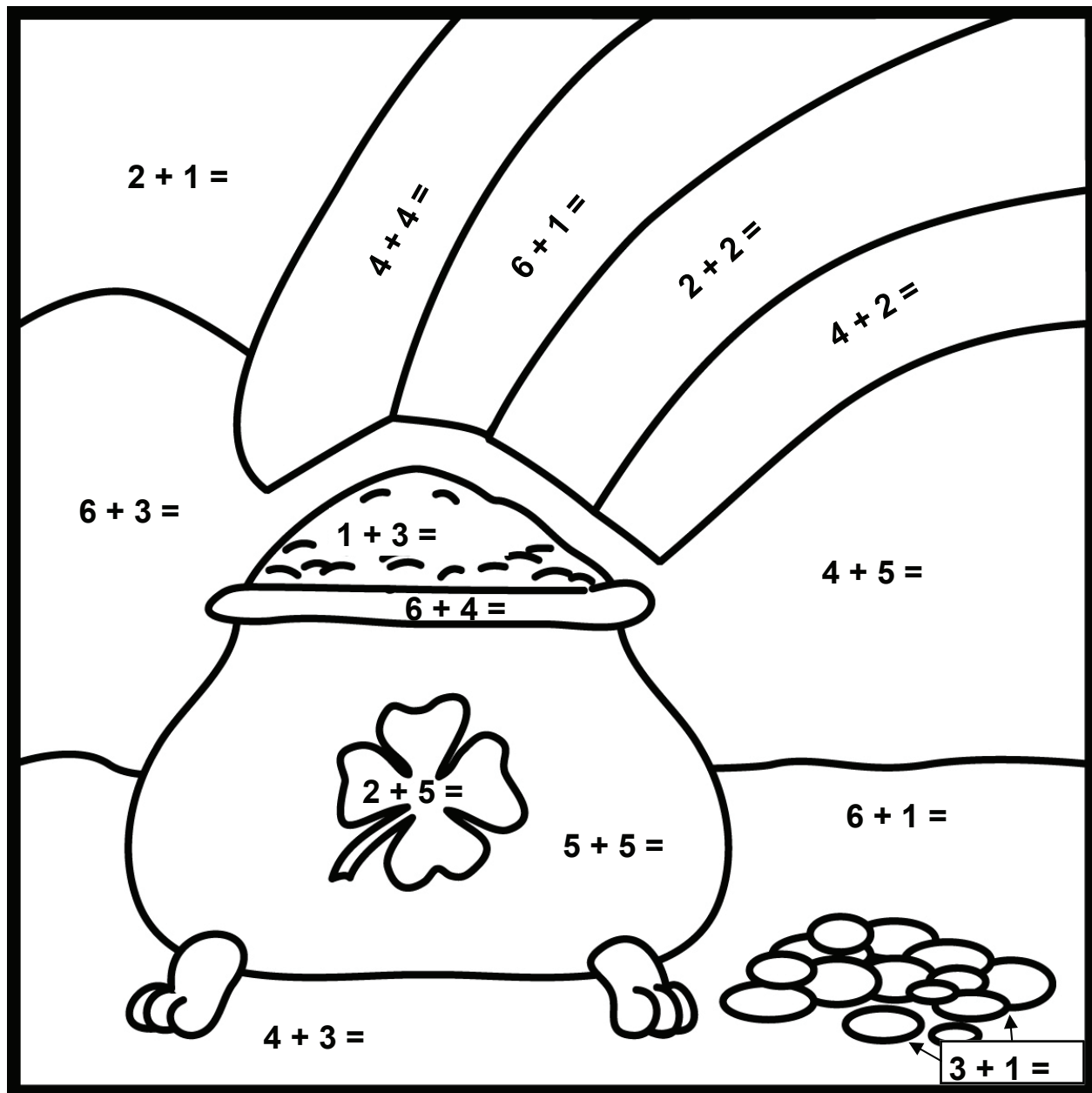
March



In March I like to

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Write the answers. Use the answers to color by number.



3 - blue

6 - red

8 - purple

10 - black

4 - yellow

7 - green

9 - dark green