

St Patrick's Day

1 Match the pictures with the words.

RAINBOW



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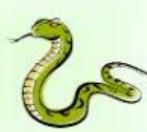
SHAMROCK



HAT



SNAKE



IRELAND



ST PATRICK



POT OF GOLD



IRISH FLAG



PIPE



LEPRECHAUN



GREEN



HORSESHOE



BEER



HARP

FIDDLE

2 Read and complete the text.

(Ireland, green, leprechaun, patron, pot of gold, shamrock)

St. Patrick's Day is the national holiday of _____. It is celebrated on March 17.

St. Patrick is the ____ saint of Ireland.

St. Patrick brought Christianity to the Irish people.

He used a _____ to explain the Christian concept of Trinity to the Irish.

St. Patrick drove all the snakes out of Ireland.

Some cities have parades, most people wear ____, and families eat traditional Irish food, corned beef and cabbage.

The shamrock, _____ and leprechauns are also associated with St. Patrick's Day.

The shamrock is the national emblem of Ireland.

The _____ is a small Irish fairy. If someone catches a leprechaun, he will tell him where he hides all his pot of gold.