

Happy St Patrick's Day!

Le 17 mars, c'est "Saint Patrick's Day", le jour du saint patron de l'Irlande. Pour les Irlandais du monde entier, c'est l'occasion de se retrouver et de faire la fête !

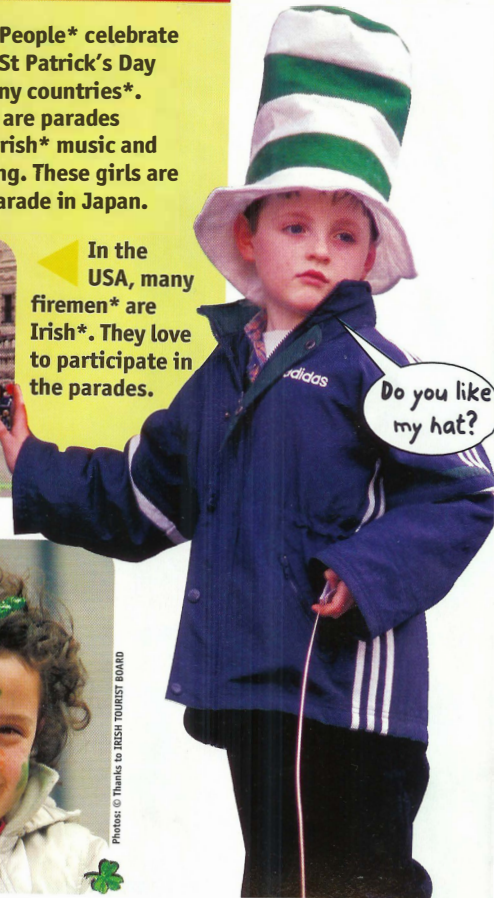
St Patrick's Day parades



People* celebrate St Patrick's Day in many countries*. There are parades with Irish* music and dancing. These girls are in a parade in Japan.



In the USA, many firemen* are Irish*. They love to participate in the parades.



Do you like my hat?

The shamrock*

The shamrock* is the traditional symbol of Ireland. It represents the Trinity* in the Christian religion.



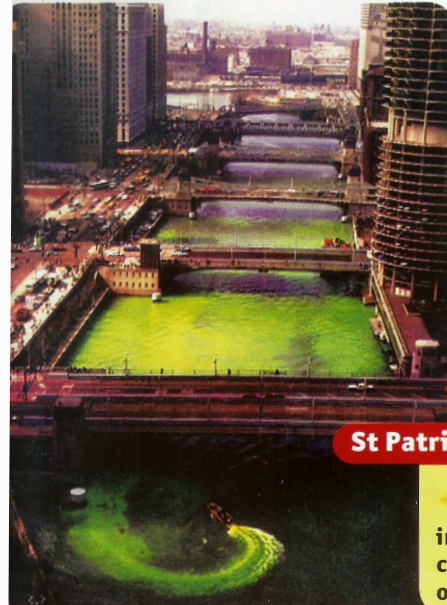
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St Patrick's Day colours

Green* is the colour of Ireland. On St Patrick's Day, people* wear* the colours of Ireland's flag*: green, white* and orange.



St Patrick's in the USA

This is a river in Chicago, in the USA. It is coloured green* on St Patrick's Day.



A leprechaun*

This man is dressed* as a leprechaun*, an Irish* elf. Leprechauns have a pot of gold* at* the end of the rainbow*!

Words

Le sens des mots est donné d'après le contexte dans lequel ils se trouvent dans le texte.

- at the end: au bout
- countries: pays
- dressed as: déguisé en
- firemen: pompiers
- flag: drapeau
- gold: or
- green: vert
- Irish: Irlandais(es)
- leprechaun: lutin
- people: les gens
- rainbow: arc-en-ciel
- shamrock: trèfle
- Trinity: Trinité
- wear: portent
- white: blanc

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