



## IMPORTANT DATES

**March 16<sup>th</sup>** – PD DAY

**March 17<sup>th</sup>** – PD DAY

**March 27<sup>th</sup>** – Spring Break Starts

## JUST A REMINDER.....

Spring Break Camp forms are due March 3<sup>rd</sup> please bring back ASAP as we are competing for spots with two other centres.

Early Bird Summer Camp is due April 15<sup>th</sup> if you are wanting to secure a spot and qualify for a cheaper rate.

Please bring in PAD forms for next year and updated child profiles.

## POLICY REVIEW

### HEALTH & NUTRITION POLICY

#### POTENTIAL HEALTH RISK

Where a staff member knows or has reason to believe a child is exhibiting signs or symptoms of illness, as listed below, the staff must ensure:

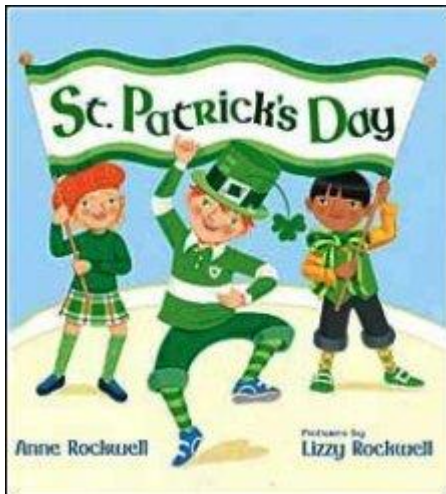
- The child's parent arranges for the immediate removal of the child from the program premises, and
- That the child does not return to the program premises until the license holder is satisfied that the child no longer poses a health risk to persons on the program premises, or
- The child's parent provides written notice from a physician indicating the child does not pose a health risk to persons on the program premises.
- Signage to be posted informing parents any time their child may have come in contact with a communicable disease while in the care of Juvenescence.

Signs or symptoms of illness exhibited by a child include the child:

- Vomiting, having a fever, diarrhea or a new or unexplained rash or cough.
- Requiring greater care and attention than can be provided without compromising the care of the other children in the program, or
- Having or displaying any other illness or symptom the staff member knows or believes may indicate that the child poses a health risk to persons on the program premises.

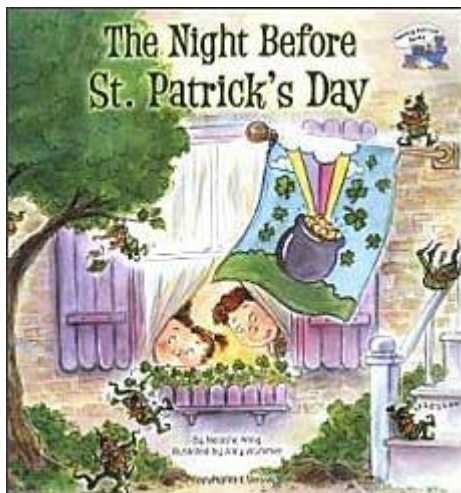
# Best St. Patrick's Day Kids Books

Below are some of the best St. Patrick's Day children's books. As teachers, we love how we can use the excitement about this holiday -- leprechauns, rainbows, pots of gold, shamrocks -- to get kids engaged in writing and math and all kinds of learning activities. It's amazing how much writing you will get out of a kid when their prompt is "How do you catch a leprechaun?" or "If you had a pot of gold, where would you hide it?" The books below are great introductions to these activities.... great for stirring up the excitement and interest. And, they're just plain fun to read!



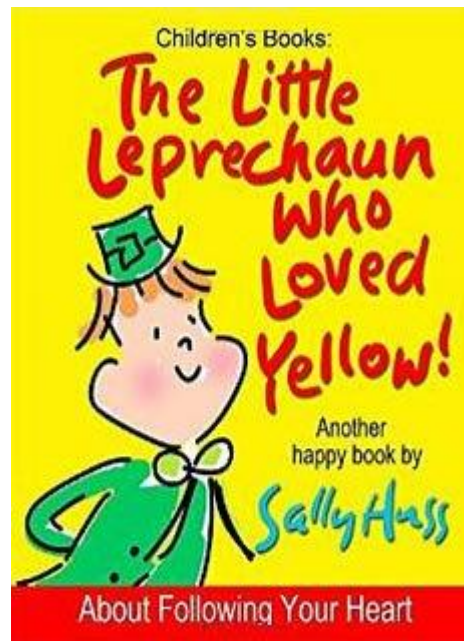
## St. Patrick's Day

by Anne Rockwell  
Kindergarten - 2nd grade



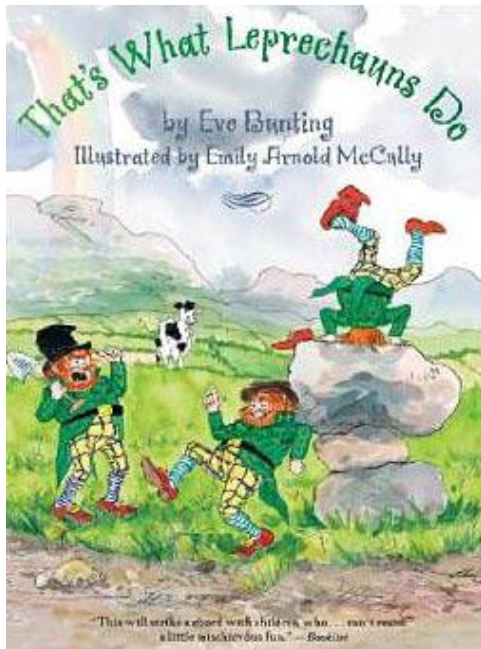
## Night Before St. Patrick's Day

by Natasha Wing  
Kindergarten - 3rd grade



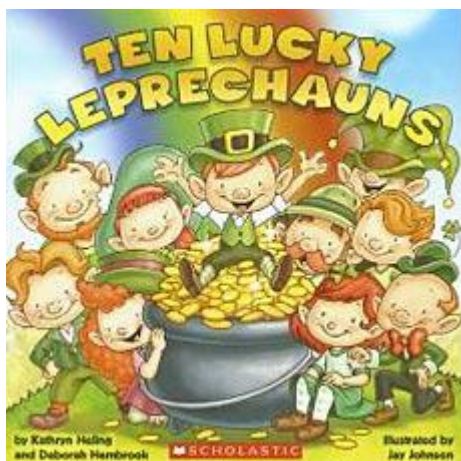
## The Little Leprechaun Who Loved Yellow!

by Sally Huss  
Preschool - 1st grade



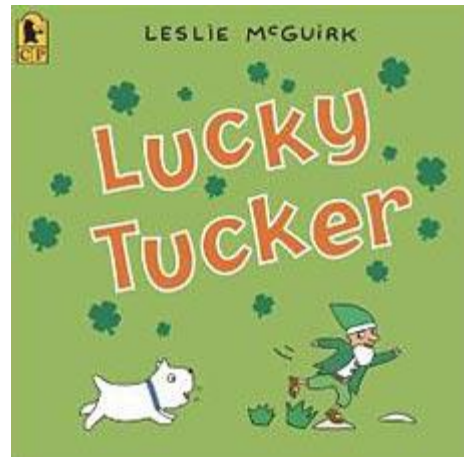
### [That's What Leprechauns Do](#)

by Eve Bunting  
by Emily Arnold McCully  
1st grade - 3rd grade



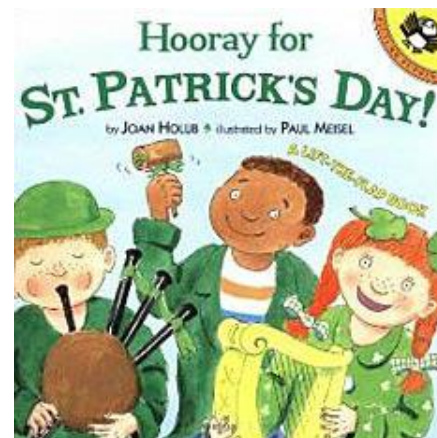
### [Ten Lucky Leprechauns](#)

by Kathryn Heling  
Preschool - Kindergarten



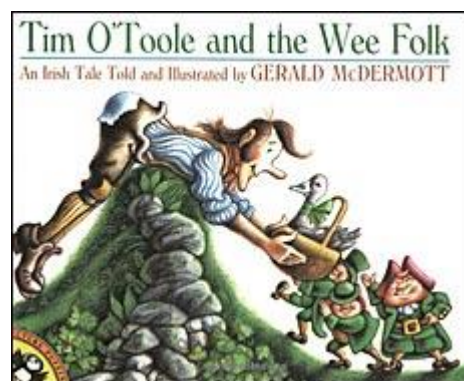
### [Lucky Tucker](#)

by Leslie McGuirk  
Preschool - 1st grade



### [Hooray for St. Patrick's Day](#)

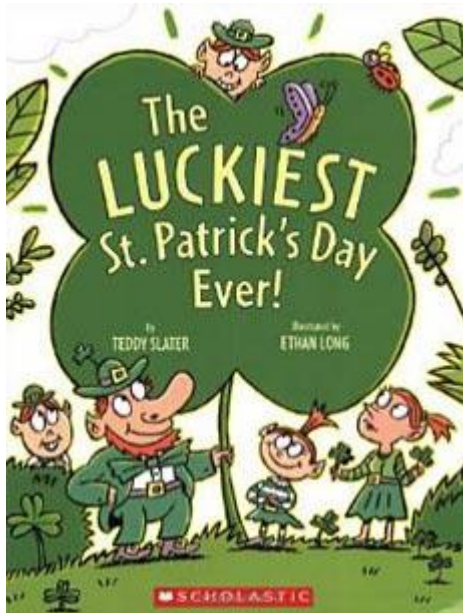
by Joan Holub  
Preschool - 1st grade





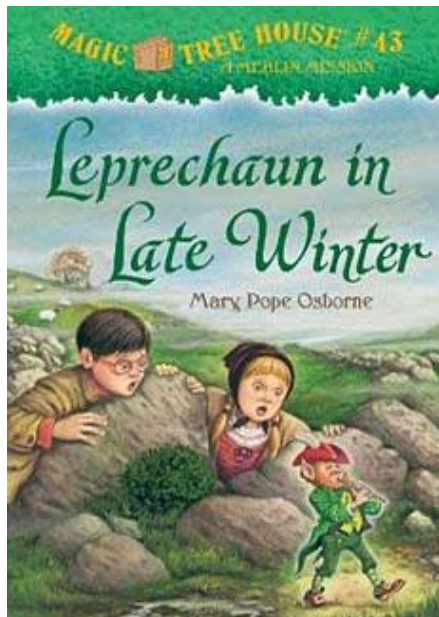
**Tim O'Toole and the Wee Folk: An Irish Tale**

by Gerald McDermott  
Kindergarten - 3rd grade



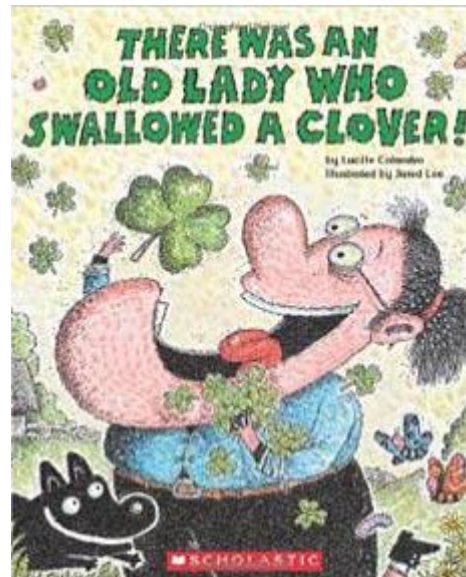
**The Luckiest St. Patrick's Day Ever**

by Teddy Slater  
Preschool - 2nd grade



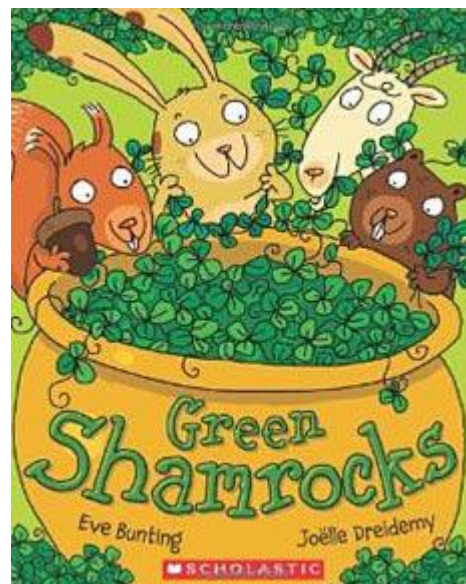
**Leprechaun in Late Winter**

Magic Tree House  
by Mary Pope Osborne  
2nd grade - 5th grade



**There Was an Old Lady Who Swallowed a Clover**

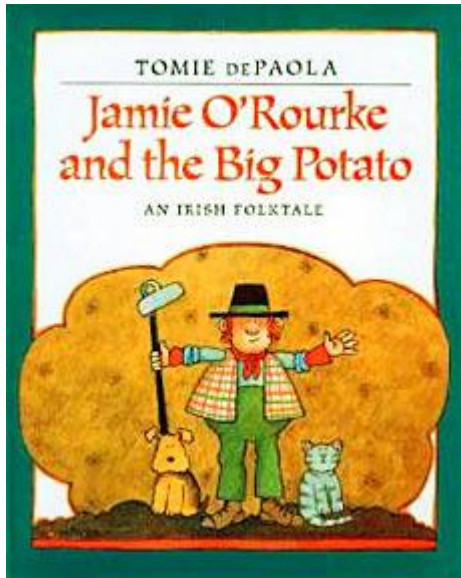
by Lucille Colandro  
Preschool - 2nd grade



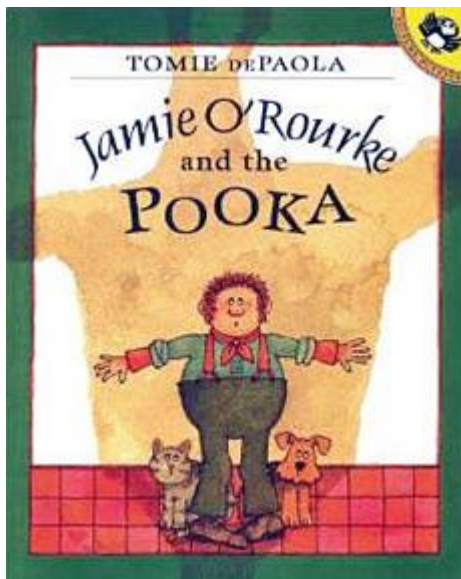
**Green Shamrocks**

by Eve Bunting

illustrated by Joelle Dreidemy  
Preschool - 2nd grade

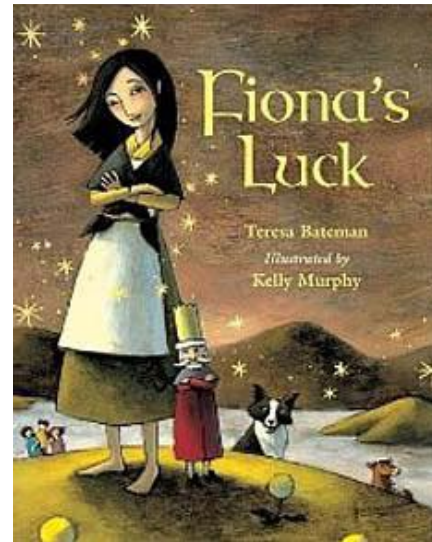


**Jamie O'Rourke and  
the Big Potato**  
by Tomie dePaola  
Preschool - 3rd grade

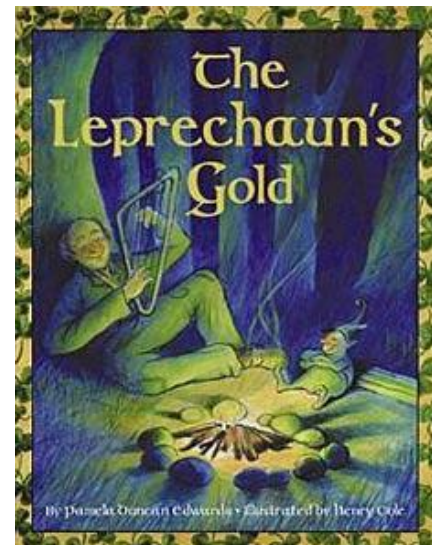


**Jamie O'Rourke and  
the Pooka**

by Tomie dePaola  
Preschool - 3rd grade



**Fiona's Luck**  
by Teresa Bateman  
Kindergarten - 5th grade



**The Leprechaun's Gold**  
by Pamela Duncan Edwards  
Preschool - 4th grade