



## Leprechaun Traps

Due: March 16th

Be the first kid on your block to catch a real live leprechaun!

### Make a Leprechaun Trap

1. Gather together all kinds of scrap material to make the perfect leprechaun trap.

Suggestions: small boxes, yarn, plastic spoons, bags, string, "bait," spools, paper cups, pieces of wood, straw, cardboard, anything shiny.

2. Design the trap. Sketch out your plan. Decide how to attract a leprechaun and eventually catch him. Be clever, smart and tricky!

3. Build the trap. Use nails, glue, or string to make your trap "leprechaun tight!" Don't make it too big- remember you're catching a tiny leprechaun, not a giant!

4. Be ready to explain how your trap works. Use your trap to demonstrate.

5. Bring your trap to school on the date printed above. We will explain our traps on Monday, March 16th and set them. When we come back on Tuesday, March 17<sup>th</sup>, we'll check to see if we caught a leprechaun.

\*\*Hint: Leprechauns are tricky fellows- they like shiny things, things that glitter. They are often naughty and disobey signs.

I have put some pictures of last year's traps on the back to get some ideas.

Have fun!!