

“Sham-rock” My World!

You don't have to be a rocket scientist to complete this word game. But you may need a little luck of the Irish or help from a reference book! Read each clue. Then, in the blanks, write a word or phrase that contains the word *rock*. Don't forget to read the hints the leprechauns are giving you!

Example: a toy mounted on rockers that a child can ride
Answer: rocking horse

1. boiled sugar: rock _____
2. a common mineral in solid form: rock _____
3. with ice only: _____ rock _____
4. a firework: rock _____
5. striped bass: rock _____
6. a type of small penguin: rock _____
7. toy fad of the 1970s: _____ rock _____
8. a popular restaurant: _____ rock _____
9. a flavor of ice cream: rock _____
10. being the very lowest: rock-_____
11. to shoot up suddenly: _____ rock _____
12. a style of popular music: rock _____
13. landform in western North America: rock _____
14. the activity of scaling rocky cliffs: rock _____
15. a piece of furniture mounted on rockers: rock _____
16. to cause a commotion that could ruin a plan: rock _____
17. a person who studies and collects rocks for fun: rock _____
18. a place decorated with rocks and certain kinds of plants: rock _____
19. a huge limestone mass on Spain's southern coast: rock _____
20. a clear type of quartz: rock _____



Bonus Box: On the back of this page, write correctly the three answers above that need to be capitalized because they are proper nouns.

Answer Key for “‘Sham-rock’ My World!”

1. rock candy
2. rock salt
3. on the rocks
4. rocket
5. rockfish
6. rockhopper
7. pet rock
8. Hard Rock Cafe
9. rocky road
10. rock-bottom
11. skyrocket
12. rock and roll
13. Rocky Mountains
14. rock climbing
15. rocking chair
16. rock the boat
17. rock hound
18. rock garden
19. Rock of Gibraltar
20. rock crystal

Bonus Box: Hard Rock Cafe, Rocky Mountains, Rock of Gibraltar