



## Elementary

1. I was DOG TIRED yesterday because I did a lot of things: in the morning I went out for a walk with my baby, then I did some housework, and in the afternoon I had driving lessons.
2. People say I'm an eager beaver. Whenever there's some work to do, I work LIKE ANTS.
3. He IS simply LIKE A BULL IN A CHINA SHOP. The other day when my best friend, who was on diet, spent the afternoon at our place, he told her how fat she was and that she was not losing any weight. Of course, my friend stood up and ran away crying.
4. I COOKED MY PARENTS' GOOSE because they wanted a surprise party for my brother's birthday, but I was quicker and I already organized it.
5. DID YOU GO APE before your wedding?
6. Although my boss is a BIG FISH, he is very humble, honest and kind with his employees.
7. Do you think I will beg you to come with me? Oh no, I have OTHER FISH TO FRY. Sorry.

## Intermediate

1. She is a bag of cats today. She must have fallen out with her husband.
2. Although me and my husband aren't bitten by the same bug, we are interested in each other's hobbies.
3. Stop fishing for compliments. You know you are pretty. But it would be great if we could just talk about something else.
4. A little bird told me that you had got engaged. Is that true?
5. Why are you grinning like a Cheshire cat? Did you win the lottery?
6. When are you going to propose to me? - Curiosity killed the cat.
7. I'M never sad about problems, I always take the bull by the horns.

## Advanced

1. It's so irritating that she is always doing everything at a snail's pace.
2. Why is it always me who has to do the donkey work?
3. You are just wasting your time with your advice. It's like water off a duck's back. There's no point in giving advice to him.
4. Although I did the lion's share of the work, he told everyone that without him the business would have gone bankrupt.
5. We have been in love since we were knee high to a grasshopper.
6. Be careful with him! He is a typical lone wolf who is just looking for one-night stands.
7. I'm having a terrible hangover. – Hair of the dog! Want a beer?
8. He is not a spring chicken so don't expect him to work 18 hours a day.
9. Don't count your chickens. First get the job, and then celebrate.