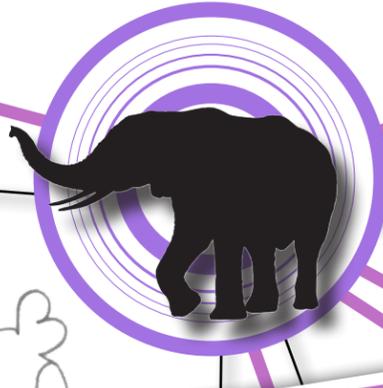




**Elephant**  
**A white elephant**  
 “Something that is large and unwieldy and is either a nuisance or expensive to keep up.”

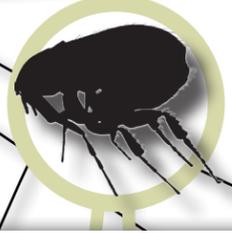
**Fish**  
**Like a fish out of water**  
 “This simile refers to someone who is uncomfortable in a situation, or who lies on one side, flops, and gasps.”



**Elephant**  
**Nosy as an elephant**  
 “This expression suggests that there is a lack of social etiquette in the animal kingdom.”

**Elephant**  
**The elephant in the room**  
 “Beloved in zoos but slaughtered in the wild – that’s an awkward fact.”

**Fish**  
**Big fish in a small pond**  
 “Someone who is important in a small group. If such a person gets too big, is there a risk of becoming ‘like a beached whale’?”



**Elephant**  
**A memory like an elephant**  
 “The memory loss owing to the trade in ivory is shocking.”

**Elephant**  
**Seeing pink elephants**  
 “A rather unfortunate state.”

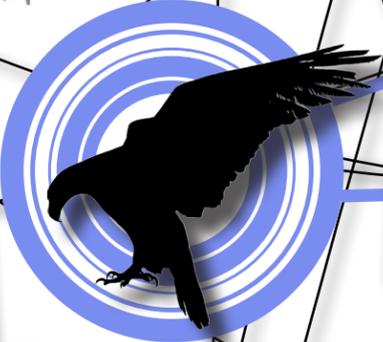
**Fish**  
**Shooting fish in a barrel**  
 “This probably isn’t as easy as it sounds.”

**Fish**  
**Like a fish without a bicycle**  
 “Very sad.”

**Fish**  
**Neither fish nor fowl**  
 “Something hard to describe.”

**Flea**  
**Fit as a flea**  
 “Are we to assume, based on this expression, that fleas are more buff than other insects?”

**Flea**  
**May the fleas of a thousand camels infest your armpits**  
 “A veritable definition of discomfort.”



**Eagle**  
**Eagle eye**  
 “Having eagle eyes is generally an admired trait. It’d be weird to have small eyes, but better than having eyes on the back of one’s head.”

**Eagle**  
**Legal eagle**  
 “An adept lawyer. Is it mere coincidence that eagles adorn money?”

**Squirrel**  
**Squirrely**  
 “Perhaps subsisting on nuts will make a creature eccentric and odd.”

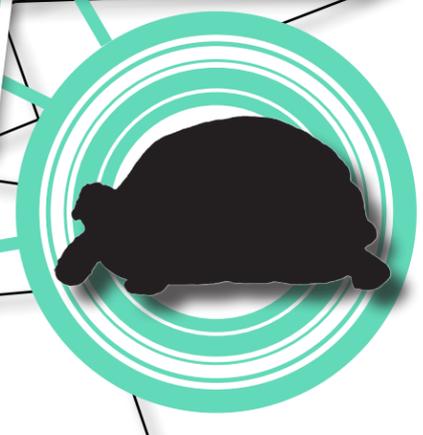
**Fish**  
**A fine kettle of fish**  
 “You can hardly blame the fish for getting in such an awkward spot.”

**Turtle**  
**Off like a herd of turtles**  
 “Probably the only herding turtles do is when they hatch, and even that is unintentional.”

**Turtle**  
**Turtleneck**  
 “For the turtle this anatomical feature never goes out of fashion.”



**Turtle**  
**Turn turtle**  
 “Sailors used to collect turtles and tortoises because they could turn them over and keep them alive in the cargo hold for food. Now the expression is used for overturned boats. Perhaps there’s a connection.”



**Squirrel**  
**Ain’t got the brains God gave a squirrel**  
 “They’re not dumb, but they are socialists. They bury nuts all over so that later each can find nuts according to its needs.”

**Squirrel**  
**Squirrel away**  
 “Squirrels hide things. And they never remember where they hide things. They survive long, cold winters only if there are enough squirrels hiding nuts that wherever you dig you will find one.”

**Fish**  
**Swim like a fish**  
 “This could mean many things. Fish swim in schools. They swim fast and slow. Also fish often swim naked.”

# FEBRUARY

SUNDAY

TUESDAY

MONDAY

WEDNESDAY

FRIDAY

SATURDAY

Calendar grid for February with dates 1-28 in colorful circles:

3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
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**Sparrow**  
**Sparrow's fart**  
 “The time of day when night owls go to bed. See also the ‘crack of dawn.’”