

COLOR IDIOMS



TO BE BLACK AND BLUE :

to be covered in bruises

"It was the first time I had ridden a bike and I was black and blue after it!"

TO BE BLUE:

To be sad or depressed

"My favorite show has ended and now I'm feeling blue."



OUT OF THE BLUE:

as a surprise, unexpected

"The news of their divorce came out of the blue!"



TO HAVE GREEN FINGERS:

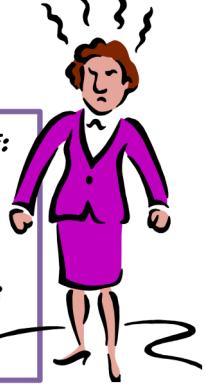
to be good at gardening

"Our garden is becoming lovely. My mother has very green fingers."

TO BE/TO GO PURPLE WITH RAGE:

to be very angry

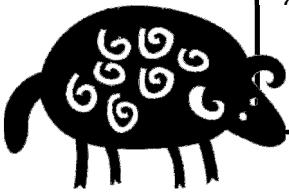
"When she found out that her husband had lost all his money, she went purple with rage."



TO GO RED:

to blush

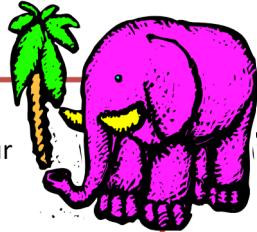
"He always goes red when he sees her."



TO BE THE BLACK SHEEP:

to be a disgrace for the family

"He's never achieved anything in his life; he is the black sheep of the family."



TO SEE PINK ELEPHANTS:

to see things that are only in your imagination

"No one believes him because he is always seeing pink elephants."

TO BE GREEN WITH ENVY:

to be jealous

"That girl is green with envy because of my very good grades."



WITH FLYING COLORS:

with great or total success

"My sister graduated with flying colors, and now we are going to celebrate!"