

Idioms & Expressions

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Boris: Have you been keeping up with all the news about that missing military jet?
Tina: Yeah. Very mysterious, don't you think? The whole thing **doesn't make sense**.
Boris: No, it doesn't. I mean, how can a military plane just **vanish without a trace** over the Mediterranean Sea? Where's the evidence of a crash?
Tina: I have no idea, but apparently there was bad weather. Most likely the pilot lost control and it crashed into the water.
Boris: They claim that's the probable explanation but, in my opinion, they're **barking up the wrong tree**.
Tina: What do you mean?
Boris: Well, I know I'm **going out on a limb** with this, but the plane might have been taken over by someone and flown to a secret location.
Tina: Oh come on! How could anyone take over a military plane? You **don't really buy that**, do you?
Boris: Why not? Rumor has it that there were two high-level government scientists aboard. Maybe someone wanted the information they might have had.
Tina: I'm sorry, but that seems really **far-fetched to me**. It's just not believable! There's no question the plane crashed. The only question is where.



Idioms and Expressions: Find these expressions in the text that have the same meaning.

- 1-It is not understandable or clear
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- 2-It disappears completely
- 3-He/she makes the wrong assumption about something
- 4 - He/she has a very different opinion than other people about something or does something very differently
- 5-He/She doesn't believe it's true
- 6-It's likely or improbable