Is it literal?

Idioms from The Ricky Gervais Show (Episode 1)

* Now we’re just *messing about* inventing stuff
* The world’s got smaller
* Travel broadens the mind
* People are being born left, right and centre
* He was a bit down
* Pick up an idea and run with it
* “Hang on a minute”
* You are living in a cartoon world
* You picked up a vibe (*vibration*)