Common Symbolism Used in Political Cartoons

- Peace – dove, olive branch, victory sign, scales of justice.

- United States – Uncle Sam, Flag, Stars and Stripes, Shield, Lady Liberty, Columbia.

- Democrats – donkey.

- Republicans – elephant or G.O.P (Grand Old Party)

- Death – vulture, skeleton with shroud, skull and crossbones, grim reaper.

- Love – heart, Cupid

- Money – dollar bill or dollar sign.

- Rats – dirty, filth