

## Debunking Gender Myths

*Fill in the gaps with the words from the box:*

domestic    it takes two to tango    meet them halfway

### **Men apologize less frequently than women.**

**TRUE!**

Although 1) \_\_\_\_\_, men are less likely than women to apologize after a fight. A study by the University of Waterloo in Ontario, Canada, found that while both sexes believe that apologizing is important, men have a higher threshold for what constitutes offensive behaviour and are therefore less likely to say sorry. The research also found that women may be more inclined to apologize as a way of getting men to 2) \_\_\_\_\_ after they have a 3) \_\_\_\_\_.

### **Women have better senses of smell and taste.**

**TRUE!**

They have 50 more cells (neurons) in their olfactory bulbs—the part of the brain responsible for processing smells. Women also usually have more taste buds than men.