

True or False
Gender Related Myths and Realities
Answer Key

Women currently make up 50% of the workforce? _____ (T)

Women currently make up 20% of the workforce? _____ (F)

10% of U.S. households consist of the man working while the woman stays home with the children. _____ (T)

80% of U.S. households consist of the man working while the woman stays home with the children. _____ (F)

35% of women earn the minimum wage? _____ (F)

65% of women earn the minimum wage? _____ (T)

Women earn 95% of a dollar compared to men (same job; same education; working full time). _____ (F)

Women earn 72% of a dollar compared to men. _____ (T)

90% of single parents are women. _____ (T)

50% of single parents are women. _____ (F)

The majority of women in non-traditional jobs must be lesbians. _____ (F)

The majority of men in non-traditional jobs must be gay. _____ (F)

Women who work in non-traditional careers usually do not have husbands and children of their own. _____ (F)

It is common for women in non-traditional careers to have husbands/partners and children of their own. _____ (T)

The companies, Turtle Wax, Little Caesar Enterprises, And Tootsie Rolls are owned by men. _____ (F)

The companies, Turtle Wax, Little Caesar Enterprises, And Tootsie Rolls are owned by women. _____ (T)

Women own 33% of all businesses. _____ (T)

Women own 9% of all businesses. _____ (F)

46% of scientists and engineers in the U.S. are women. _____ (F)

11% of scientists and engineers in the U.S. are women. _____ (T)