

FACE OFF

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A Woman Fed Up

The following is a conversation that is all too often heard on the yard among two of the same sex. The guys complain to their boys about triflin' females and in turn, the females dog the fellas out to their girls. When in reality, we need to open the lines of communication between the guys and the girls and put it all on the table. The Black Ink decided to put some of the stereotypes and misconceptions out there so that hopefully the sistas can see where the brothas are coming from and vice versa.

Cheritta: First off, there is only one Jay-Z. He is the real balla. All these imitators need to stop trying, because they are failing miserably. I feel like everybody is trying to be a playa and it just ain't happening.

Deone: OK, let me put it like this...there are eight females to every one male at Carolina. Inevitably, more than one female is going to try to holla to the same male knowing that he is talking to the other. It's all about competition. The females would rather knowingly compete with one another for the same guy which in turn reinforces the playa mentality that the girls claim to hate so much.

Cheritta: You are right. That is one point where females need to step up and be a woman and stop putting themselves out there like that. It may be "inevitable" that more than one female is going to try to talk to the same guy, but that is where ya'll need to be a man and know when to stop. Guys do that because they are insecure in themselves and their game, because if it really was THAT tight, then, they would be comfortable with ONE strong woman.

Deone: That's the problem that I have seen. Carolina girls are so interested in commitment and settling down. Why are y'all always trying to marry somethin'? Why can't we just have friends and chill. I am not saying that you have to sleep with everyone that you are chillin' with, because

that ain't cool. However, I don't believe that you have to settle down after two months of chillin' together.

Cheritta: What EXACTLY is chillin'? "Chillin'" is just a loop-hole that ya'll use to avoid the issue.



"Girl, can you say triflin'?"

Deone (with a smirk): "Chillin'" is the stage of a relationship when a guy and girl are comfortable enough with one another to spend time together, talk and just have a good time. I admit that "chillin'" is an abstract concept, but it is something that WE understand and something that girls, for some reason, just don't want to understand.

Cheritta: Hold it! This is where I disagree. This is what "chillin'" is. It is nothing but an excuse that guys use to continue trying to be a playa; if we are "just chillin'" and I see you with another girl on the yard, there is nothing that I can say without having my face cracked since there is no REAL commitment. And you know how girls are quick to catch feelings for a guy while all he wants to do is "just chill." Ya'll ain't Guy. Always talking about "Let's Chill," listen to that song and then holla at me about chillin'.

Deone: Wait a minute... You hit the nail right on the head when you said that girls were quick to catch feeling. If you know "how they are" and you know that "all they