$Sentence \rightarrow AtomicSentence \mid ComplexSentence$ AtomicSentence  $\rightarrow$  Predicate | Predicate (Term, ...) | Term = Term ComplexSentence  $\rightarrow$  (Sentence) | [Sentence]  $\neg$  Sentence Sentence  $\land$  Sentence Sentence  $\lor$  Sentence Sentence  $\Rightarrow$  Sentence Sentence  $\Leftrightarrow$  Sentence Quantifier Variable,... Sentence  $Term \rightarrow Function(Term, \ldots)$ Constant Variable Quantifier  $\rightarrow \forall \mid \exists$ Constant  $\rightarrow A \mid X_1 \mid John \mid \cdots$  $Variable \rightarrow a \mid x \mid s \mid \cdots$  $Predicate \rightarrow True \mid False \mid After \mid Loves \mid Raining \mid \cdots$ Function  $\rightarrow$  Mother | LeftLeg |  $\cdots$ **OPERATOR PRECEDENCE** :  $\neg, =, \land, \lor, \Rightarrow, \Leftrightarrow$ 

**Figure 8.3** The syntax of first-order logic with equality, specified in Backus–Naur form (see page 1060 if you are not familiar with this notation). Operator precedences are specified, from highest to lowest. The precedence of quantifiers is such that a quantifier holds over everything to the right of it.