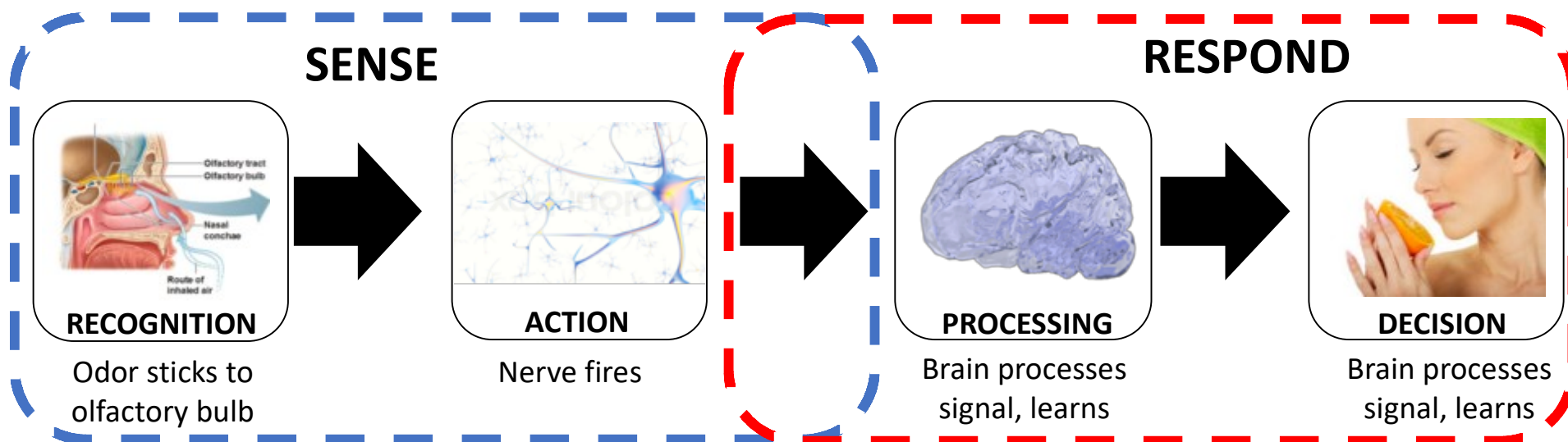


Proteins in the olfactory system recognize odors in a **lock and key** fashion and send electrical pulses to the brain that are processed. The brain **learns** and makes **decisions**



The olfactory system can detect **unknown odors**, and tell the difference between right handed (-) and left handed (+) molecules (see below)

