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**“Are You a Loser?” Academic Vocabulary**

Rate your knowledge. The complete the chart for each topic related and high utility word.

1 = don't know 2 = recognize 3 = familiar 4 = know it

**Words to Know (Topic-related)**

Word to Know Rate Knowledge	Meaning	Example
<p>resilience <i>noun</i></p> <p>* resiliency * resilient</p> <p>1 2 3 4</p>	<p>the ability to recover quickly from difficulties; toughness</p>	<p>An athlete shows resilience when she heals from a bad injury and starts competing again.</p>
<p>perseverance <i>noun</i></p> <p>* to persevere * persevering</p> <p>1 2 3 4</p>	<p>continuing to do something even when it is difficult; not giving up even when something is hard</p>	<p>Perseverance is important in school because some assignments are hard, but you have to finish them to pass.</p>
<p>to achieve <i>verb</i></p> <p>* achievement * achiever</p> <p>1 2 3 4</p>	<p>to do something successfully, usually because of courage or skill</p>	<p>Before achieving success, many people have to learn from their failures.</p>

**Word to Go (High-utility)**

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<p>summary</p>	<p>a formal written summary gives an objective overview of</p>	<p>When I</p>

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<p><i>noun</i></p> <p>* to summarize</p> <p>1 2 3 4</p>	<p>the topic and important details from the text</p>	<p>summarize lecture notes for Cornell notes, I need to rewrite them in a brief paragraph using my own words</p>
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