

Unit 2

Reading **Extend** Worksheet F.2.4

1 Read. Write **EB** if the statement describes Eduardo Briceño or **JW** if the statement describes Josh Waitzkin.

- _____ 1. He's a great example of growth mindset.
- _____ 2. He wants to understand people with growth mindset.
- _____ 3. He won a world championship in Tai Chi.
- _____ 4. He's an expert in education.
- _____ 5. He tries harder when he fails at something.
- _____ 6. He believes that the way people think affects how good they are at something.
- _____ 7. He lost a national championship in chess.
- _____ 8. He won a national championship in chess.

2 Read. Complete each sentence with a word from the box.

fail	hardworking	improve	succeed
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- 1. You may not _____ at something the first time you try to do it.
- 2. When you practice something, you _____ your ability to do it.
- 3. A person with growth mindset is _____ and wants to learn new things.
- 4 If you _____, you should keep trying.

3 Read. Circle the letter of the best response, according to the reading.

- 1. Eduardo Briceño believes that people with growth mindset are _____.
 - a. better than other people
 - b. great at chess
 - c. very hardworking
 - d. more special than other people
- 2. Josh Waitzkin is an example of someone with growth mindset because he _____.
 - a. liked chess when he was 6
 - b. works hard to learn new things
 - c. is great at Tai Chi
 - d. lost his first chess championship

3. Josh became a chess champion after _____ .

- a. losing a championship game
- b. moving to New York City

- c. quitting Tai Chi lessons
- d. working to improve his skills

4. The main idea of the reading is _____ .

- a. everyone should learn to play chess
- b. you can succeed if you work hard

- c. everybody is good at something
- d. only certain people can succeed

- 4 Look at the words.** When you know the meaning of one form of a word, you can increase your vocabulary by recognizing related forms. How many of the words related to *succeed* have you seen before?

Noun	Verb	Adjective	Adverb
success	succeed	successful	successfully

- 5 Complete the chart.** Write as many forms of each word as you can without using a dictionary. Compare your chart with a partner's. Then use a dictionary to find additional forms and add them to the chart.

Noun	Verb	Adjective	Adverb
	fail		—
	improve		—
		hardworking	—