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Article 1 Sort: What is a Good Credit Score?

EXPLAIN: How is your credit score determined? (What actions build up a good or bad credit score?)

Topic:	EXCELLENT	VERY GOOD	GOOD	FAIR	BAD	VERY BAD
Credit Score						
Effects						

Article 2 Sort: Good versus Bad Debt

GOOD DEBT	NO GUARANTEES: How good debt can go bad	BAD DEBT
List the 4 types and give a 1 sentence explanation of why they are considered "good":	List the 4 scenarios in which the 4 types of good debt can go bad (summarize scenario in 1 brief sentence):	List the 3 types of bad debt and give a 1 sentence explanation of why they are considered "bad":

SUMMARY: What makes good debt 'good' and bad debt 'bad'?

Art of the Sentence: Sentences about credit scores and good vs. bad debt

1. WRITE one well-crafted sentence about the effects of credit scores using this sentence structure:

“Whereas a good credit score . . . a bad credit score . . .”

2. WRITE one well-crafted sentence about the difference between good and bad debt, starting with this

“Debt is potentially good when it . . . but usually bad if it . . .”