

<u>Name of the Addon</u>	<u>How essential?</u>	<u>Why?/What does it do?</u>
AchievementTracker	3/10	Allows to toggle displaying achievements like quests on the screen, allowing to hunt for them and keep visual track of them
Alchemist	Depends	Allows you to see what you can currently create with the herbs you have, disregarding if you have found out their attributes, so basically allows to always make best use.
AutoDecline-by Dio	8/10	No more random guild invites, allows you to select exactly who is allowed to invite you to a guild, or to befriend you e.g., for example "Only ppl on my friends list may guild-invite me"
BankBagSearcher	2/10	Allows to search your inventory/bank for specific items by name, like entering "white" would find your "White Cap" instantly, more of a comfort/cosmetic thingy
BankStuffer	9/10	Automatically stacks (read: not stores) any items you have upon opening your bank, thus it would bank your white caps from inventory and stack them with those you have in the bank. If your bank has none, it would not do anything since it never creates new stacks.
WarLegend Group Frame	10/10	One of the quintessentials, allows to move, edit and tweak the party frame, like making it much easier to see who is hurt how badly, including much more eye-pleasing bars and fonts along with it.
Wykkyd's Framework	10/10	Necessary for the other Wykkyd addons to work.
Wykkyd's GroupTools	10/10	Basically Wykkyd's addons are where it's at. They allow you to reconfigure almost anything on your screen, enabling tons of (possible) displays and providing tons of options.
Wykkyd's Outfitter	10/10	Among them are a moveable bar that displays information (like: exp, horse feeding status, vampire exp, your current level, your name, your zone, anything really – each of which can also be toggled off of course + zillion other displays), subtitles, a much better display for quests (sorted by zones or the way you like to sort them), the Outfitter allows to save skill loadouts as well as armor/weapon/jewelry loadouts and to name those loadouts (like "Dungeoning" "Healing" "Supah Damage Mode" e.g.)
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Skyshards (by Garkin)	8/10	Allows you to see where them skysharks are hidin'.
CraftResearchTimer	9/10	Never. Ever. Forget about any research progress. Displays the time remaining, what you are researching, for what skill.

DragonLoot	4/10	If you are among those who use "auto-loot" so you don't have to manually accept loot, DragonLoot will display what you just grabbed either in chat or in a separate window (or both :P)
Esohead	1/10	Collects data of what you have achieved and allows to upload it to Esohead.com so the maps and data there gets updated with your help.
FoundryTacticalCombat	10/10	Allows you to finally easily see the current buffs/debuffs, also has means to display incoming/outgoing damage values
Gleaderwaypoint – by Lint	?/10	Marks the current group leader on your compass with a purple icon. 10/10 for me myself as you can imagine :P
GuildStore Addon	10/10	Yes. This addon allows you to finally search for a specific item in guild stores, yay! It can even browse all of them at the same time and has a button that jumps you to that sale if you decide "yup that's a cool price".
HarvestMap	-5/10	That is for you. You memory freak ;p For me? 50/10. Why? Because it marks every single resource node you have ever farmed once on your map (not the non-touched).
Librarian	1/10	Not essential at all, but it does allow you to re-read every single book/letter/readable item you will come across. Sadly not retro-active.
LoreBooks (by Garkin)	10/10	It's like you know.. icons. On your map. For lorebooks.
MulesManagement	?/10	Not tested it extensively myself. It seems to allow you to specify which character should automatically retrieve what type of items from your bank (or store them, if you toggle that)
RainbowReticle	2/10	Changes the colour of your reticle according to what you face, like red for enemies, yellow for neutrals e.g.. Handy for PvP I'd assume, but not a necessity.
ResearchAssistant	6/10	Displays a little icon next to anything you could research That icon tells you whether you know that trait already, or if you have a duplicate of this trait available in your inv/bank. Gets handy if you want to deconstruct tons of stuff and fast.
SimpleClock	0/10	A clock is also available via Wykkyd's Framework, but I did not like that one, so I grabbed this one and have it displayed somewhere else than in the Wykkyd bar.
SimpleCombatAlerts	sigh/10	If only the game would allow the addon to fire always. Basically this addon shows you what to do when in a fight but in an improved way. Remember the cues for "Dodge"?

Make it say anything you'd prefer, any colour or size you'd prefer the texts to be and, more importantly, it exchanges some enemies's auto-cue to "Block" to "Interrupt", when they are interruptable since that, essentially, nullifies the damage of course.

SoftCapInfo	11/10	Open your character screen. Never waste a single point again, because now you have a value of, for example, 1010/1050 armor displayed, telling you that at 1050 you'd be overcharging. Or showing 1075+45/1050 if you are overcharging and what you "would" gain, if you'd not be overcharging. Works for all stats and such of course.
SousChef	2/10	For Provisioners only – displays if you need an ingredient for one of your recipes known or if it's safe to sell them.
SpamFilter	11/10	The only other addon that gets this rating. For a reason. Never again be bothered by spammers / goldsellers, since it allows to auto-ignore people by keywords (which you can edit, so no worries to ignore the wrong guy), option to also auto-ignore ppl that flood the chat. It always adds a note on the "ignore" list telling you why that account was added to ignore, too.
XPNotifier	4/10	Allows the chat to display exp gained and also to keep track of how much inspiration you just got by crafting this or that, also allows to keep track of for example your vampire exp.
ZrMiniMap	?/10	A customizable minimap on your screen. I love it :p
ShowMotifs	1/10	Shows you what item is of what cultural motif.

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