

The history of Skateboarding Video

Watch this video on the history of the skateboard https://youtu.be/3YIP4O_t4kg and answer the following questions:

Late 1940's/Early 1950's

Why did surfers invent skateboards? How did they make them?

1960's

What are the two things mentioned that show how popular skateboarding was during the 60's?

1970's

How did the urethane wheel change skateboarding?

What weather event resulted in the new trend of "pool skating" in Southern California and how did this impact the way people skateboarded?

1980s

What three things mentioned indicated a **Renaissance** in skateboarding?

What do you understand by the term "vert"?

1990's

Can you name three of the four different places mentioned that street skateboarders use when street skating?

TODAY

The narrator says that skateboarding was traditionally thought of as being for underdogs, outcasts, misfits. These are three words with similar, but not the same meanings. What is the shared sense of their meaning?

Check your answers using the Infographic.