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Skateboarding: A Historical Ride

Extreme sports have been around for centuries. One more modern form is skateboarding. Skateboarding is defined as "the act of rolling on or interacting with a skateboard" ("History and Popular Culture of Skateboarding"). Skateboarding, as a sport, has undergone much evolution with boards, stunts, and gear.

The skateboard was in existence before actually being called the skateboard. In the early 1900s, kids discovered that scooters could be modified into skateboards by removing the handles (Crossingham). "Others simplistically constructed their first skateboards using wooden boards and roller skate wheels" ("Skateboarding" 152).

Surfing was very popular in the 1950s and many surfers decided to try surfing on land. By making their own road surfboard, they would be fully developed into well-constructed skateboards (Fry). "Skateboarding was originally referred to as 'sidewalk surfing' and early skaters mimicked surfing style and moves" ("History and Popular Culture of Skateboarding").

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