

## Objective

By the end of this lesson, you will learn about the history of skateboarding and how it has evolved over time.

## Materials and Prep

- Internet access
- Computer or tablet
- Pen and paper

## Activities

1. Watch a short video about the history of skateboarding.

Find a video on the internet that talks about the history of skateboarding. Take notes on important information you learn.

2. Create a timeline of skateboarding.

Using your notes, draw a timeline of skateboarding. Start with the earliest known skateboards and progress to the present day. Label important milestones and inventions.

3. Design your own skateboard.

Using your imagination, draw a picture of your dream skateboard. What colors, patterns, or designs would you like to see on it? Share your drawing with your teacher or a family member.

## Kindergarten Grade Talking Points

- "Skateboarding is a sport that involves riding on a special board with wheels."
- "Skateboarding started a long time ago, and people have been doing it for fun and as a way to get around."
- "In the past, skateboards were made of wood and had metal wheels. They were not as smooth or easy to ride as the skateboards we have today."
- "Over time, people made improvements to skateboards, such as using better materials and inventing tricks to do while riding."
- "Today, skateboarding is a popular sport and there are many skate parks where people can go to practice and have fun."