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For questions 25-34, read the text below. Use the word given in capitals to form a word that fits in the space in the same line. There is an example at the beginning (0).

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SKATEBOARDING

In the early 1960s, a new craze swept through the **(0) coastal (COAST)** cities of the United States. Being (25) _____ **(PHYSICS)** fit, the surfers wanted some fun while the surf was low. That's when an (26) _____ **(ENERGY)** new pastime called skateboarding was born. The skateboard was (27) _____ **(ORIGIN)** developed by attaching a plank of wood to roller-skates.

However, skateboarding has undergone (28) _____ **(DRAMA)** changes since then. (29) _____ **(PROFESSION)** skateboarders now use plastic and fibreglass, which make the boards more durable and flexible. Nowadays, skateboarders spend (30) _____ **(END)** hours performing tricks and stunts many of which are (31) _____ **(DANGER)** so experts (32) _____ **(ADVICE)** skateboarders to wear protective gear such as helmets and elbow and knee pads, especially if they are not (33) _____ **(SKILL)**. A skateboarder goes through many falls before becoming proficient, so it is (34) _____ **(SENSE)** to take precautions against accidents.