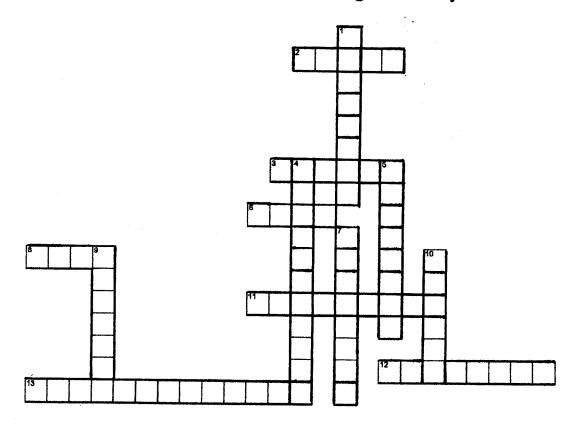
Skateboard Components

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ACROSS

- 2 These two metal components support the axle and are attached to the deck.
- 3 The part of the truck that supports the axle.
- 6 This metal component runs through the hanger. It holds the wheels in place as they rotate.
- 8 Long, strong, flat and rigid, but can flex sufficiently to absorb shocks.
- 11 The part of the truck that is screwed to the deck.
- 12 They provide cushioning for a turning skateboard and are held in place by a bolt called a kingpin.
- 13 There are eight of these. They attach the trucks to the deck.

DOWN

- 1 These provide cushioning for the skateboard when it is turning. They are held in place by the kingpin.
- 4 Small components that prevent the bearings from rubbing on the axle nut and the hanger.
- Made of rubber, above the truck, they add height above the wheels so they don't touch the deck when turning or landing.
- 7 Made from fabric or paper, its sandpaper-like surface helps the feet to grip.
- 9 This strong bolt holds together the hanger and bushings that make up the truck.
- 10 Made of polyurethane, in various shapes and sizes. Influence the speed and comfort of your ride.