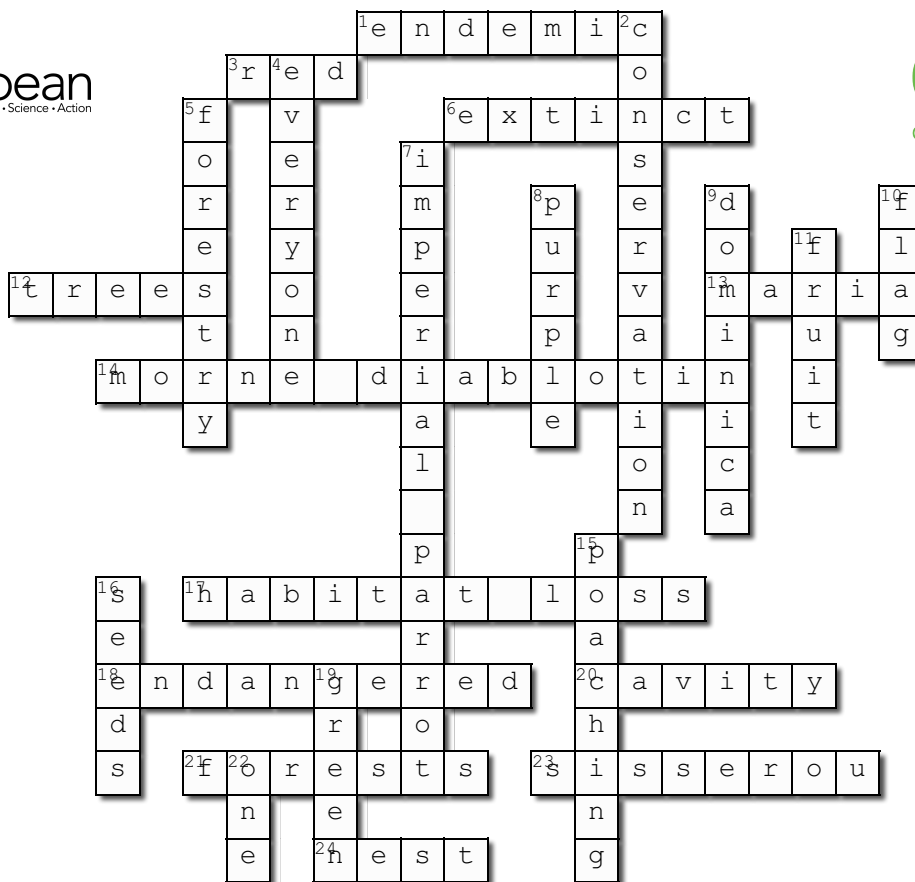


All about the Sisserou (Imperial Parrot)

Complete the crossword puzzle below



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Across

1. A species found only in a particular place. For example, one island (like Dominica) or a group of islands (like the Lesser Antilles). (**endemic**)
3. Colour of the shoulder patch on the Sisserou's wings, best seen when the bird is perched. (**red**)
6. When there are no more left in the wild. (**extinct**)
12. You can plant this to help birds survive. (**trees**)
13. Hurricane that devastated Dominica in 2017 and caused the deaths of many birds. (**maria**)
14. Name of one of the areas in Dominica where the Sisserou lives. (**morne diablotin**)
17. Occurs when the place where a place an animal or plant lives is destroyed or extremely changed. For example, when the trees are cut down and the land is used for something else, like farming or building homes or businesses. (two words with a space) (**habitat loss**)
18. Conservation status of the Sisserou. (**endangered**)
20. Hole in old-growth rainforest trees where parrots nest. (**cavity**)
21. Parrots and other wildlife need this habitat to survive. (**forests**)
23. Local name of the largest of the 32 species of Amazon parrots in the world. (**sisserou**)
24. A structure or place that a bird uses for laying eggs and raising chicks. (**nest**)

Down

2. The protection and wise use of natural resources (including plants and animals and their habitats). (**conservation**)
4. Who can help with efforts to conserve parrots and nature. (**everyone**)
5. Name of Department in Dominica that is in charge of the Parrot Conservation programme. (**forestry**)
7. Name of the bird that is the national bird of Dominica.(two words with a space) (**imperial parrot**)
8. Color of the Sisserou's breast. (**purple**)
9. Name of country where Sisserou is endemic. (**dominica**)
10. The Sisserou appears in the centre of this national symbol. (**flag**)
11. An important food of the Sisserou. (**fruit**)
15. The illegal capture of wild birds for international caged bird trade (a threat for the Sisserou). (**poaching**)
16. An important food of the Sisserou. (**seeds**)
19. Colour of the Sisserou's wings. (**green**)
22. Number of eggs female parrots usually lay. (**one**)

