

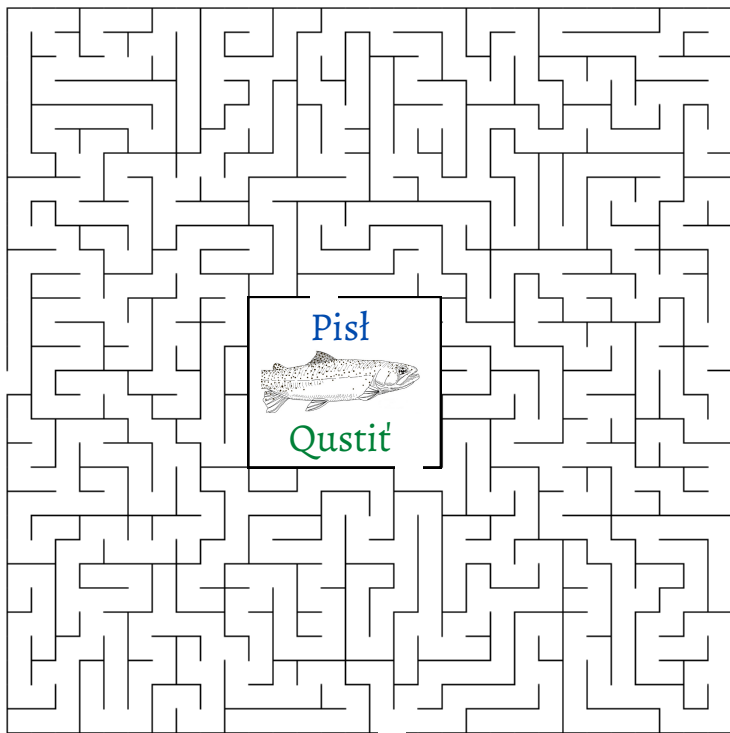
The Flathead Indian Reservation



The Flathead Indian Reservation is part of the homeland of the Sélis (Salish), Qltspe (Pend d'Oreille) & Ksanka (Kootenai) tribes, which originally stretched from Western Montana into Idaho, British Columbia, and Wyoming. Continuing their long history of land management using traditional conservation practices, the Confederated Salish & Kootenai Tribes protects over one million acres!



Can you help the cutthroat trout find his tail?

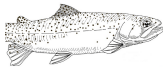


Slightly Forked



Deeply Forked

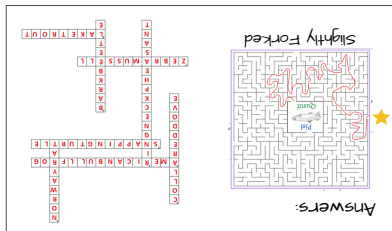
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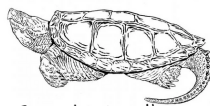
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Round Forked



Answers:



Snapping Turtle



American Bullfrog



Lake Trout



Ring Necked Pheasant



Bark Beetle



Zebra Mussel

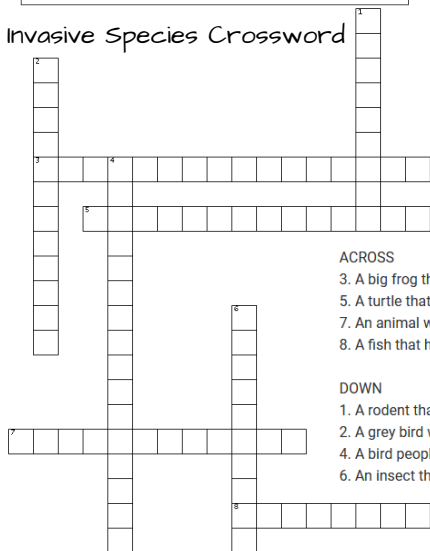


Collared Dove



Norway Rat

Invasive Species Crossword



ACROSS

3. A big frog that is very loud
5. A turtle that like to bite
7. An animal with a hard shell and stripes
8. A fish that has a deeply forked tail

DOWN

1. A rodent that likes to live with people
2. A grey bird with a black ring on it's neck
4. A bird people like to hunt
6. An insect that likes to lay it's eggs inside trees

Flathead Lake

Dark brown zigzag pattern

Lays flat

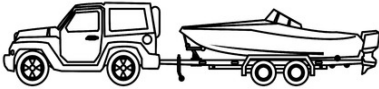
Triangle shape

Up to 2 inches

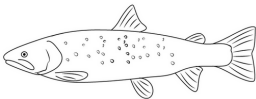
Zebra Mussels

Zebra mussels (*Dreissena polymorpha*) are small, fingernail-sized mollusks native to the Caspian Sea region of Asia.

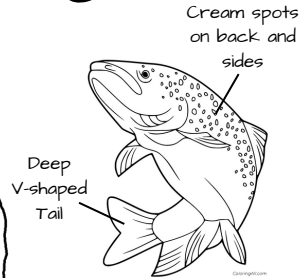
Zebra mussel larva spread between bodies of water by anything with water that moves from one body of water to another.



Adult and juvenile mussels move on boat hulls, sea planes, docks, and buoys from one body of water to another.



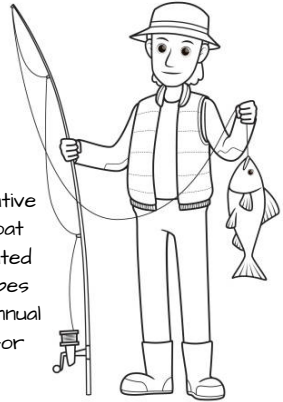
If you do catch a bull trout, don't pull them up too quickly gently throw them back so they don't get hurt.



Lake Trout

Lake trout preyed on native bull trout, and nearly killed all the bull trout in the Flathead Lake. There are around 12 million adult lake trout.

To help bring back native bull trout and cutthroat trout, the Confederated Salish & Kootenai Tribes host Mack Days, an annual fishing competition for lake trout.



How can You Help?

- Always look over anything that was in the water and clean away all the mud and anything living. Drain out all water and let your boats dry in the sun for five days before going back in the water.
- Don't release pet fish like goldfish into the wild.
- Catch lake fish as much as possible.

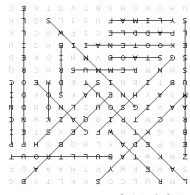
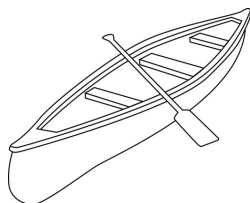
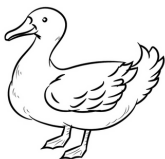
Can you find all the words about the Flathead lake?

All words can go in any direction. All words can share letters or cross over each other

L	M	R	U	L	C	O	S	K	K	L	T	Y	B	G
S	A	H	E	R	W	Y	P	T	H	A	A	A	D	F
Z	N	K	W	T	A	B	U	L	L	T	R	O	U	T
E	O	F	E	D	A	Y	L	H	Q	B	S	H	P	P
B	A	G	K	T	R	W	F	C	E	X	S	T	E	I
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U	H	U	N	O	H	S	B	T	V	S	T	K	E	C

Bait
Boats
Barbeque
Family
Kootenai
Paddle
Salish
Water
Bulltrout
Fishing
Laketroun
PenddOreille
Summer
Zebramussels
Birds
Canoe
Hook
Mackdays
Picnic
Swimming

Help Sam Catch a Fish by Drawing Their Fishing Line



Answers: