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Grey Crowned Crane

Balearica regulorum

The Grey Crowned Crane is an elegant, medium-sized bird known for its striking golden feathery crown. Native to the wetlands and grasslands of eastern and southern Africa, this crane is easily recogn...

Quick facts

Classification: Bird

Family: Gruidae

Habitat: Wetlands, marshes, and grasslands

Diet: Omnivore

Conservation status: Endangered

Lifespan: 22-25 years

Weight: 3.5-4.0 kg

Scientific name: *Balearica regulorum*

Did you know?

- The Grey Crowned Crane is the national bird of Uganda and appears on the country's flag and coat of arms.
- Grey Crowned Cranes are the only cranes that can roost in trees, thanks to their long hind toe. They perform complex dancing rituals not just for mat...

What I learned
