

## **Websites of the Month**

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Celebrating the Science of Girls Health, Glaciers and the Iliad.

Girls Health – Department of Health and Human Services <a href="http://www.girlshealth.gov/">http://www.girlshealth.gov/</a>

This site was created by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services' Office on Women's Health to help girls (ages 10 to 16) learn about health, growing up, and issues they may face. The website also provides information to parents and educators to help them teach girls about healthy living.

All About Glaciers - National Snow and Ice Data Center <a href="http://nsidc.org/cryosphere/glaciers/">http://nsidc.org/cryosphere/glaciers/</a>

The National Snow and Ice Data Center (NSIDC) supports research focusing on the world's frozen areas, or cryosphere. It is no wonder then that this site provides a nice walkthrough of the various aspects of glaciers. After starting with this page you can step through other pages that address questions such as how they are formed, how they move and how they affect land. There is also a photo gallery that shows glacial types, features and landforms.

Geneticists Estimate Publication Date of the 'Iliad' – Inside Science http://www.insidescience.org/content/geneticists-estimate-publication-date-iliad/946

While we can typically look in the first few pages to find the publication date of the book we are currently reading, that technique will not work with certain readings. The Iliad, for example, required a little more work to determine it's time of publication. Geneticists have applied research methodologies they use in their field of study to that of words found in the Iliad to confirm what scholars have always believed regarding when the Iliad was written.

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