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Alaska Department of Education and Early Development

The Department of Education & Early Development, Division of Libraries, Archives & Museums is seeking a digitally savvy librarian excited about history to assist with Alaska's National Digital Newspaper Program (NDNP) project.

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Huna Tribal House Project - Glacier Bay National Park & Preserve (U.S. National Park Service)

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Discovery: search SLED, SLED Databases, and more.

Subject categories with links to free Alaskan resources and relevant SLED Databases.

In-depth subject guides.

Access specific SLED Databases (and a few replacements) directly.

Click link or call number for help with the databases.
Climate change is a significant and lasting change in the statistical distribution of weather patterns over periods ranging from decades to millions of years. It may be a change in average weather conditions, or in the distribution of weather around the average conditions (i.e., more or fewer extreme weather events). Climate change is caused by factors that include oceanic processes (such as oceanic circulation), variations in solar radiation received by Earth, plate tectonics and volcanic eruptions, and human-induced alterations of the natural world; these latter effects are currently causing global warming, and "climate change" is often used to describe human-specific impacts.
**Climate change and evolutionary adaptation**

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Evolutionary adaptation can be rapid and potentially help species counter stressful conditions or realize ecological opportunities arising from climate change...

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**The velocity of climate change**

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Climatic Change, 04/2009, Volume 93, Issue 3

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Pleistocene climatic oscillations have resulted in high rates of speciation. Lesser known are speciation events related to recent glacial retreats. During the...

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Earthquake Stories from Minto and Nenana, Alaska by Tape Carl

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Image results for "(SubjectTerms:Alaska history)"
Whales Before Whaling in the North Atlantic.

Authors: Roman, Joe
Palumbi, Steven R.


Document Type: Article

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MITOCHONDRIAL DNA
NUCLEOTIDE SEQUENCE
MITOCHONDRIA
NORTH Atlantic Region

Abstract: It is well known that hunting dramatically reduced all baleen whale populations, yet reliable estimates of former whale abundances are elusive. Based on coalescent models for mitochondrial DNA sequence variation, the genetic diversity of North Atlantic whales suggests population sizes of approximately 240,000 humpback, 250,000 fin, and 250,000 minke whales. Estimates for fin and humpback whales are far greater than those previously calculated for prewhaling populations and 6 to 20 times higher than present-day population estimates. Such discrepancies suggest the need for a quantitative reassessment of historical whale populations and a fundamental revision in our conception of the natural state of the oceans.

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Due to budget cuts, Teen Health & Wellness was discontinued on January 15, 2017.
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SLED Websites
We all love search engines; but sometimes the best quality websites are hard to find
amidst the ads. We've collected outstanding, but sometimes hard to find, resources on Alaskan topics.

- Arts and Literature
- Battle of the Books
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Alaska Arts & Literature

- **Alaska Center for the Book**
  Information on programs, projects, events, and online resources for writers.

- **Alaska Folk Music and More**
  A source for folk and traditional music festivals, events, and sessions.

- **Alaska State Arts Council**
  State resources and links for artists.

- **Alaska State Museums**
  Museum services and collections, as well as teacher resources.

- **49 Writing Center**
  Programs, instruction, and support for Alaskan writers.

- **LitSite Alaska**
  Narratives, essays, speeches, teacher's guides, and more by Alaskan writers.

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Alaska History Topics

- Alaska Constitutional Convention Recordings
- Alaska's Gold
  Archival, library and museum materials relating to Alaska's gold rush, developed by the Alaska Dept of Education and Early Development to assist teachers in using primary source material in classrooms.
- America, Russia, and the Meeting of Frontiers
- Building the Alaska Highway
- Creating Alaska
  Resources relating to Alaska statehood, including Convention recordings and transcripts. Historical video footage, collections of memorabilia, and more make this an excellent resource for educators.
- Eight Stars of Gold
  Multimedia resources telling the story of Alaska's flag, compiled by the Alaska State Museum
- Gold Rush History
  This site is a companion to the National Postal Museum exhibit "As Precious as Gold" and features a bounty of general information on the gold rush in Alaska and the Klondike.
- Great Alaska Earthquake of 1964
- Harriman Alaska Expedition Photographic Album
  University of Washington collection of photographs from the 1899 voyage led by Edward H. Harriman and John Muir
- North to Alaska
  This site from the National Archives features documents related to the migration of people into Alaska. Topics include the Alaska Purchase, the Gold Rush, Statehood, and more.
- Prehistory of Alaska
- Road to Civil Rights: World War II - The Alaska Highway
  A brief overview of the Alaska Highway's role in the history of U.S. civil rights
- Timeline of Alaska History
  A general timeline with links to other Alaska history topics from the Alaska Public Lands Information Centers
Related SLED Databases

- **Academic Search Premier**
  Full text periodicals covering nearly all subjects.

- **Alaska's Digital Archives**
  A repository of digitized historical manuscripts, photographs, newspapers, maps, books, and other publications, along with significant personal collections.

- **History Reference Center**
  Designed for academic research, this database features full text for more than 1,990 reference books, encyclopedias and non-fiction books.

- **Oxford Premium Reference Collection**
  Over 100 English and bilingual dictionaries, books of quotations, maps, timelines, and more.

### General

- **Alaska's Digital Archives**
  Photos, journals, and short videos on whaling.

- **Alaska Eskimo Whaling Commission**
  Alaskan organization that monitors whaling and represents Alaskan interests to the International Whaling Commission.

- **Annotated Bibliography of the Bowhead Whale, Balaena mysticetus, 1787-1983**
  Historical resources on the bowhead whale, by W.M. Marquette (Alaska Fisheries Science Center).

- **Big Fish: Brief History of Whaling**
  National Geographic overview of whaling.

- **Bowhead Subsistence Whaling Harvest Research**
  Scientific research on whales and subsistence whaling, undertaken by the North Slope Borough. Principal Investigators: J. Craig George, Robert Suydam.

- **Commercial Fishers: Whaling**
  From the Smithsonian Institution On the Water online exhibition.

- **CSS Shenandoah and the Last Shot of the Civil War: How the Rebels Saved the Whales**
  By Mark Markowitz. Where US military history and Arctic whaling intersect.

- **In Search of the Last Whaling Fleet**
  National Marine Sanctuary Program of NOAA documentation of Arctic shipwrecks and artifacts from commercial whaling disasters including the incursions of the CSS Shenandoah during the Civil War and the ice-bound feasts of 1971 and 1976.

- **International Whaling Commission**
  Includes aboriginal whaling data by nation and type of whale, taken annually in aboriginal, commercial and special permits.

- **Into the Deep: American Whaling and the World**
  Transcript of PBS American Experience Program; lesson plans available.

- **Irupiak Whale Hunt**
  Video of an actual subsistence whale hunt.

- **Irupial Heritage Center**
  Objects, photos, archival records of oral histories related to whaling, from the North Slope cultural center.

- **New Bedford Whaling Museum**
  Bibliographies, digitized archival material and finding aids, teachers' resources.

- **New Bedford Logbooks and Journals**
  New Bedford Teachers Resources
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