Zoology:

The science focus is on zoology as your child learns about animals around the world. There is a research aspect, however, at this age, you will be doing the bulk of the research alongside your child. For each continent studied, your child will be asked to complete an **Animal Profile** notebook page. Just have your child choose an animal from that continent (it doesn't have to be one mentioned in the Atlas, but it can be) and help them to learn more. You can go to your local library and peruse the shelves or use the internet. This is a fantastic website to aid you in your research:

http://kids.nationalgeographic.com/kids/animals/creaturefeature/.