## Phonetic drill

This is the season, When mornings are dark. And birds do not sing, In the forests and park.

## **New words**

- o mausoleum мавзолей
- tile- плитка
- Region Область
- refuse отказаться
- nanny няня
- Curse Проклятие
- poisonous ядовитый

## I Work with the text

- Karakhan came across Aisha Bibi, the beautiful daughter of Khakim-Ata. When Karakhan and Aisha Bibi saw each other they both fell in love. Karakhan wanted to marry Aisha, but Khakim-Ata refused. Before he left, Aisha Bibi and Karakhan made a secret promise to marry each other. Then, She decided to travel to Taraz to find him. Also, Old nanny Babadzha Khatun went with her. Khakim-Ata shouted a curse after her: "You will cross six rivers, but you will not cross the seventh!"
- Before they crossed the seventh river, they stopped so Aisha could bathe. Just then, a poisonous snake bit her. The poison was fast. When Karakhan arrived, Aisha Bibi died in his arms. The noble Karakhan ordered to build mausoleum. Her faithful nanny Babadzha Khatun guarded the mausoleum until her own death.

## II Answer for following questions:

- 1) Which of the following is true about the Mausoleum of Aisha Bibi?
- A Many of its patterned(узорчатый) tiles are lost.
- B It is in Samarkand.
- C No one knows its true origins(происхождение).
- 2) What happened(что случилось) after Aisha Bibi died?
- A Karakhan guarded(охранял) her until(до того как) he died.
- B Karakhan built a mausoleum.
- C Karakhan got married to another(другая) woman.

- III Who does what? Read and complete the sentences. Use: Karakhan – Aisha Bibi– Khakim-Ata.
- 1 ...... died after being bitten by a poisonous snake.
- 2 ...... shouted a curse after Aisha bibi.

3 After Aisha Bibi was bitten, she died in the arms of.....