Vikram’s English Academy (ICSE)

**Test: The Merchant of Venice Act 1, Scene 2**

**Batch: IX VCR Duration: 30 Mins Marks: 20**

Answer the following questions based on their weightage:

1. How does Nerissa react to Portia’s complaint at the start of the scene? 2
2. Which examples does Portia give to prove that doing is not as easy as saying? 2
3. What does Portia say about Count Palatine? 4
4. How is the appearance of the English Lord described? 3
5. What does Portia tell Nerissa to do in order to avoid getting married to the German Lord? 3
6. How is the first description of Bassanio done in the scene? 2
7. From this scene, what do you understand about Portia as a person? 4