Vikram’s English Academy (ICSE)

**Test: The Merchant of Venice Act 1- Scene 1, Bangle sellers, Chief Seattle**

**Std: IX PPS Duration: 30 Mins Marks: 20 SET: A**

1. How does Salerio explain the contrast of Antonio’s melancholy when Antonio says he is not in love? 4
2. How does Antonio react when he is not able to clearly understand Bassanio’s demand? 3
3. Who is the narrator of the porm? Explain the term ‘Shining loads.’ 3
4. What is meant by ‘bridal laughter’ and ‘bridal tear’? 4
5. What is the mournful memory that the orator speaks of? 3
6. Why according to the orator, if there was a common God, he was partial? 3