Vikram’s English Academy (ICSE)

**Test: Fire Buckets, Animal Farm (Chapter 1)**

**Std VIII- PPS Set B**

**Marks 20 30min**

**Answer the following questions with reference to context.**

1. **The two horses had just lain down when… (2)**
2. Who are the two horses? Name them.
3. What happened next?
4. **It is about this that I wish to speak to you. (2)**
5. What does the word ‘this’ refer to? Who is ‘I’ here?
6. What kind of life are they living, according to the speaker?
7. **Man is the only creature that consumes without producing. (2)**
8. Mention any two examples to substantiate the given line.
9. According to the speaker, what will happen if Man is removed from the scene?

1. **Fix your eyes on that, comrades… (2)**
2. What does ‘that’ refer to? Till when does the speaker ask them to fix their eyes?
3. What will happen if the animals get rid of Man?
4. **The vote was taken at once, ­and it was agreed by an overwhelming majority…. (2)**
   1. What was agreed by an overwhelming majority? What was the issue all about?
   2. Who were the four dissentients?
5. **This was a sensation- the news of his arrival. (3)**
   1. Who is ‘he’ here? Why was ‘his’ arrival a sensation?

1. **He had no time to spare…. (3)**
   1. Who had no time to spare? Why?
2. **Describe the hospital. (4)**