Slam Poetry note taking sheet Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. What are the elements that make these poems effective? memorable?

2. What techniques did the poets use that helped us understand the poem? Think about the following:

* + - 1. How did they make us feel emotions?
      2. How did they make us live in the experience?
      3. What imagery did they use?
      4. How did they use the 5 senses and description?
      5. Other techniques?

3. What types of poetic devices were used?

5. How did using these poetic devices help them get across their message?

6. Based on the slam poetry you have watched try to write a definition of slam poetry.