LISTENING LOG ~ MUSICAL ELEMENTS

Name _________________________________

Choose a musical selection by a Heritage Fellow and use the list below to help you take notes as you listen. Play it more than once to become familiar with the song.

**Artist**

**Hometown and State**

**Style or Genre**

**Selection Title**

**Solo or Ensemble**

**Voice**
- number of voices
- a cappella
- instrumental accompaniment

**Instruments**

**Lyrics and Language**

**Sacred or Secular**

**Tempo (fast, slow, or in between)**

**Melody (simple or complicated tune)**

**Dynamics (loud, soft or in between)**

**Rhythm (number of beats per measure; is the accent on the strong or the weak beat?)**

**Think Tank**

What do you want to ask the musician?
Was this a familiar song or type of music?
What did you like most about this song?
Where do you sing, play music and listen to music?
Sing or hum a verse of the song.