HANDOUT ONE: NOTE CATCHER, THE WORK OF THE EQUAL JUSTICE INITIATIVE

Directions: Write down what you understand about EJI's work while you watch each of the three film clips.

The death penalty:

People who have been unfairly sentenced:

The importance of having a good lawyer and the right to a lawyer:

People who are innocent:

Children:

Education:

2. Bryan Stevenson talks about being "part of the broken community." What community is he talking about, and how does that relate to the work of EJI?

3. What historical information and influences did you see in these clips and how do they shed light on the current state of our criminal justice system?

4. How do you think the educational work of the Equal Justice Initiative relates to its ongoing legal work?