GRU

(completely insincere) Of course, of course. I have pins and needles that I'm sitting on.

AGNES

Pinkie promise?

Agnes holds out a pinkie. Gru stares at it. Notices the other girls are watching. Will do whatever it takes to get these cookies delivered. Reluctantly holds out his pinkie.

> GRU Oh yes, my pinkie promises.

AGNES

Ah!

They pinkie promise. All of the moms sitting next to Gru bat their eyelashes, completely taken by Gru's parenting.

EXT: VECTOR'S FORTRESS - DAY

Gru's surveillance van is parked down the street from Vector's place.

INT: GRU'S VAN - SAME

Gru addresses the girls, who are dressed in their uniforms, and stand next to the wagon stacked with cookie boxes.

GRU Alright, our first customer is a man named Vector.

Margo looks at her order form.

MARGO But he's a "V". You know, we're supposed to start with the A's,

then we go to the B's, then we go to the --

Yes, yes, I went to kindergarten, I
know how the alphabet works!
 (catching himself)
I, I was just thinking that it
might be nice to deliver Mr.
Vector's first, that is all.

The girls nod.

EXT: VECTOR'S FORTRESS - MOMENTS LATER

BAM! The van door slams shut, and Margo, Edith and Agnes make their way down the sidewalk toward Vector's place.

GRU It's almost over...it's almost over.

INT: GRU'S VAN - SAME

Gru watches the girls on the video screen. They enter the gate and enter the house.

INT: VECTOR'S FORTRESS - SAME

Vector greets them at the door.

VECTOR Ah girls, welcome back to the Fortress of Vectortude. (laughs) Do you have my cookies for me?

The girls bring their wagon into Vector's place.

Gru is typing on a keyboard. Cookiebot Microsoft software begins to run on Gru's computer.

Margo consults her order form as the other two girls put Vector's boxes of cookies on the counter. Including the coconutties box with the robotic cookies in it.

> MARGO Four boxes of minty mints, two toffee totes, two caramel clumpies and fifteen boxes of coconutties.

> VECTOR Exactly. I'd like to see somebody else order that many cookies.

Vector throws his head back in a cocky swagger.

VECTOR Not likely! Name one person who ordered more cookies than me.

Margo glares back at Vector.

MARGO That will be 52 dollars.

VECTOR

Right.

The side of the coconutties box on Vector's counter flips open, and TWELVE ROBOTIC COOKIES scamper out. They quickly run a scan and locate the device.

INT: GRU'S VAN - SAME

Gru sits in the back of the van, looking at a TV monitor, controlling the robotic cookies.

INT: VECTOR'S FORTRESS - SAME

Vector pulls out cash from his fanny pack.

VECTORseven, eight, nine, oh Tic Tacs.

The robotic cookies leap off of the counter and run down the hall.

INT: VECTOR'S FORTRESS - SAME

Vector finishes counting his money. Agnes stares at his outfit.

VECTOR ...eight, nine...

AGNES Why are you wearing your pajamas?

VECTOR These aren't pajamas. This is a warm-up suit.

INT: VECTOR'S FORTRESS - VAULT

The cookie robots form a ladder to reach the security panel beside the vault. The robots shut down Vector's security system.

The vault door is slowly opened revealing -- the Shrink Ray.

INT: VECTOR'S FORTRESS - SAME

EDITH What are you warming up for? VECTOR

Stuff.

AGNES What sort of stuff?

VECTOR Super cool stuff you wouldn't understand.

AGNES Like sleeping?

VECTOR They are not pajamas!

INT: VECTOR'S FORTRESS - VAULT

The cookie robots run into the vault and onto the far wall. They quickly burn a hole in the wall the size of the shrink ray. Gru and two minions quickly jump in the vault making karate SOUNDS.

INT: VECTOR'S FORTRESS - SAME

Vector finally finds the money.

VECTOR Ah! Here you go. Fifty-two big ones.

Vector hands Margo the money.

INT: VECTOR'S FORTRESS - VAULT

Gru and the minions struggle to lift the heavy shrink-ray case. While this is happening, the cookie robots seal up the hole in the vault trapping Gru and the minions. One of the minions SHRIEKS in panic.

EXT: VECTOR'S FORTRESS

VECTOR

Bye!

The girls leave his yard and head for the gate. Vector finally takes a bite of the cookie. The cookie makes a funny noise and he has a hard time chewing it-- it's a robot.

INT: VECTOR'S FORTRESS - AIR DUCTS

Gru and the minions struggle to get the heavy Shrink Ray into an air duct. One minion grabs the other minion and shakes him till he glows -- like a glow-stick, it illuminates the darkened vent.

112 They race through the air duct carrying the shrink ray.

INT: VECTOR'S FORTRESS - AIR VENTS

They continue on running through the vents until they see a way out. Gru is carrying the shrink ray and a minion.

WHOOMP! Gru falls through a weak spot in the floor.

INT: VECTOR'S FORTRESS - LIVING ROOM

Gru dangles precariously above Vector, who is mindlessly watching TV. Below Gru is Vector's PET SHARK which swims freely through his fortress (under his very chic glass floors). The shark notices the tender morsel that is Gru hanging by a thread. He is STRAINING to hold the shrink ray.

The shark LUNGES striking the glass floor.

VECTOR What the...? Quiet down, fish.

The shark continues to hit the glass floor.

VECTOR

Down, boy.

THUMP! A huge LUNGE knocks Gru and his minions from the ceiling, but it also knocks Vector off his couch, lodging his head into his bucket of snacks. Gru takes this opportunity to make a break for it.

Vector looks around, not sure what just happened.

EXT: VECTOR'S FORTRESS

Gru comes running out, waving his pants around in his arms.

GRU (laughs) We did it! C'mon girls, let's go.

A split second later the minions come running out and smack into the side of Gru's car.