

## WEST VALLEY DANCE COMPANY

Please select two lines to read/recite at your audition:

- Gru Looking good, Kevin! How is the family? Good? All right. What up, Larry? Hello, everybody! Yeah, all right! Simmer down. Simmer down! Thank you. Okay. Now I realize that you guys probably heard about this other villain who stole the pyramids. Apparently, it's a big deal. People are calling it the crime of the century and stuff like that. But, am I upset? No, I am not! A little, but we have had a pretty good year ourselves, and you guys are all right in my book. No, no raises! You're not going to get any raises. What did we do? Well, we stole the Times Square Jumbotron! Nice! That's how I roll. But that's not all. We stole the Statue of Liberty, the small one from Las Vegas.
- Vector Hey. I'm applying for a new villain loan. Go by the name of Vector. It's a mathematical term, a quantity represented by an arrow, with both direction and magnitude. Vector! That's me, 'cause I'm committing crimes with both direction and magnitude. Oh, yeah! Check out my new weapon. Piranha gun! Oh, yes! Fires live piranhas. Ever seen one before? No, you haven't. I invented it. Do you want a demonstration? I also have a shrink ray...
- **Margo** Uh, hi! We're orphans from Miss Hattie's Home for Girls.We're selling cookies, so, you know, we can have a better future.
- Edith When we got adopted by a bald guy, I thought this'd be more like Annie.
- Agnes ♪ Unicorns, I love them, unicorns, I love them! Uni, uni, unicorns, I love them! Uni, unicorns! I could pet one if they were really real, and they are! So, I bought one, so I could pet it! Now it loves me, now I love it! ♪ (Pause) I bet their

house is made of Gummi Bears. I'm just saying it'd be nice. (looks at the cheeto in her hand) My caterpillar never turned into a butterfly.

- **Dr. Nefario** I know how you must be feeling. I, too, have encountered great disappointment, you will always be one of the greats. (pause) It's all over the news! Some fella just stole a pyramid. They're saying he makes all other villains look lame.
- Anchor Person This just in! Outrage in Egypt tonight as it was discovered that the Great Pyramid of Giza had been stolen and replaced by a giant inflatable replica. There is panic throughout the globe as countries and citizens try to protect their beloved landmarks. Law enforcement still has no leads, leaving everyone to wonder, which of the world's villains is responsible for this heinous crime? And where will he strike next?
- **Miss Hattie** Well, it appears you have cleared our background check, Dr. Gru. And I see you have made a list of some of your personal achievements. Thank you for that. I love reading. And I see you have been given the Medal of Honor and a knighthood. You had your own cooking show and you can hold your breath for 30 seconds? It's not that impressive.
- **Receptionist -** Mr. Gru, Mr. Perkins will see you now.
- **Mr. Perkins** You don't have it? Do you have any idea of the capital that this bank has invested in you, Gru? With far too few of your sinister plots actually turning a profit. Look, Gru, the point is, there are a lot of new villains out there, younger than you, hungrier than you, younger than you. Like that young fella out there named Vector. He just stole a pyramid!