Short Story Trailer/Mini Scene

1. OPTION 1: Choose a scene (1-2 paragraphs from your story) that would make a strong mini scene. Film it and provide a script.
2. OPTION 2: Film a movie trailer for your short story. 1 minute MINIMUM, 2 minutes MAXIMUM.

Guidelines/Rules:

1. No violence or gore-HINT at these ideas if you need to
2. No weapons---improvise by using tame replacements such as a butter knife, spork, fork, etc. Use SOUND effects to help you rather than resorting to violence.
3. NO SPOILERS
4. Trailers: include MUSIC, voice over, intro credits, closing credits, starring characters, title of the movie, rating, release date, etc. ALL aspects of a real trailer needs to be present in YOUR trailer.
5. You may use friends from this school, family members, or friends that do not attend SRA to help you film these scenes.
6. Original scenes only----no “borrowing” scenes/clips from other movies. You may use a green screen or special effects that have already been created….once in a while-it should NOT dominate your trailers/scene.
7. If you are not featured IN the movie, you MUST be the only person filming and cropping –you will be listed as the director.
8. You may use your own supplies/costumes/etc at home.
9. Filming at home is permitted, but you must find pieces to complete/crop/edit in class.
10. You MAY use adobe flash to animate. You can’t use other images---must be drawn by YOU.
11. If you would like to film hand drawn sketches to produce a cartoon/animation, that is also acceptable.