Great Pretender



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A series of unfortunate events has led Makoto Edamura to adopt the life of crime—pickpocketing and scamming others for a living. However, after swindling a seemingly clueless tourist, Makoto discovers that he was the one tricked and, to make matters worse, that the police are now after him.

While making his escape, he runs into the tourist once again, who turns out to be a fellow con man named Laurent Thierry, and ends up following him to Los Angeles. In an attempt to defend his self-proclaimed title of "Japan's Greatest Swindler," Makoto challenges his rival to determine the better scammer. Accepting the competition, Laurent drops them off outside a huge mansion and claims that their target will be the biggest mafia boss on the West Coast.

As Makoto becomes increasingly involved with the cunning Laurent, his colorful associates, and the world of international highstakes fraud, he soon realizes that he got more than what he bargained for as his self-declared skills are continually put to the test.

Anime Details

Episodes	23
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Broadcast	Thursdays at 00:55 (JST)
Licensors	Netflix
Studios	Wit Studio
Genres	Action, Adventure, Mystery
Duration	23 min. per ep.

Characters



Thierry, Laurent

Suwabe, Junichi Japanese



Ozaki, Seiji

Supporting





Jones, Abigail

Main





Kudou Supporting

Tadano, Youhei Japanese



Edamura, Makoto

Main





Suzaku, Akemi

Supporting





Moore, Cynthia

Main





Ibrahim, Sam Supporting

Komatsu, Fuminori





Dorothy Supporting

Komatsu, Yuka Japanese





Meyer, Thomas

Supporting





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