BIG NATE

"BACK TO SCHOOL SPECIAL: BIG NATE/LOUD HOUSE"

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COLD OPEN

INT. DETENTION BASEMENT

The camera acts as the perspective of an incidental student from a new school who has landed in weekend detention with NATE WRIGHT. Nate pops up to talk to cam.

NATE

Oh hey, look at you. Detention after only the first week of school. Tsk tsk tsk. You should be ah- MAZED with yourself!!! What'd you do?

The camera shakes its "head."

NATE (CONT'D)

Oh just late for class, heh? Well, you've got a lot to learn, grasshopper. Stick with me. I'm the most awesome prankster you'll ever meet. Few have been able to achieve the feats that I have in the short eleven years I've been alive. I'm sure you've heard of me.

The camera shakes its head "no" again.

NATE (CONT'D)

WHAT?! You must be new here. Whaddya say we sneak outta here? I'll give you the lay of the land, and I'll show you around the BEST. SCHOOL. EVER.

SMASH TO TITLE:

ACT ONE

INT. DETENTION BASEMENT

Nate continues to talk to cam.

NATE

Yeah, I'm gonna be honest, I've racked up a few detentions, but don't worry, I know my way around this school like a special edition Time Disruptors comic. And I ALWAYS find a SAFE way out.

CUT TO BIG NATE CLIPS:

Ep 126 "The April Fool

Ep 116 "Game Over"

INT. SCIENCE CLASS - DAY

Nate pops in Galvin's science class.

NATE

Whaat?? Get caught!? Nah, don't worry. You're with me, the Natedawg, the maestro. Once you're settled in, you'll be pulling all kinds of epic pranks. I wonder if wacky hijinks ever happen at other middle schools...

Cut To LOUDHOUSE CLIPS:

Ep 606 "All The Rage"

Ep 411 "Tails of Woe"

Ep 501 "Schooled!"

BACK TO SCENE:

NATE (CONT'D)

P.S. 38 is a state-of-the-art school with some of the country's finest amenities.

> CUT TO BIG NATE CLIPS:

Ep 124 "Bro-king up is Hard to Do"

Ep 110 "The Big Freeze"

Ep 107 "Belle's a Ringin'

BACK TO SCENE:

NATE <NERVOUS LAUGHTER> Ehhh you kinda just gotta make the most of what we've got.

They hear the door handle jiggle and... MRS. GODFREY.

MRS. GODFREY (O.S.)

(pull from Ep 115 Best
 Laid Cell Plans)
Nate Wright! Open this door.

NATE

(to cam)

We gotta get out of here!!

Nate ducks out of screen and then pops back up.

NATE (CONT'D)

See how fun this place is?

END ACT ONE.

ACT TWO

INT. CAFETERIA - DAY

Nate and the new kid are in the cafeteria, safe.

NATE

That was a close call. And Godfrey had a tuna sandwich with hardboiled eggs today, so you do NOT want a whiff of that breath. Speaking of food, welcome to da, da, da, DAH! Our Cafeteria!!! You're going to love eating lunch here. Our lunch lady Zora is a world class chef. She's got 10 Michigan stars! At P.S. 38, you're gonna taste some of the best food you've ever had in your life.

CUT TO BIG NATE CLIPS:

- Ep 107 "Belle's a Ringin'
- Ep 104 "Ghostly Coven of Man Witches"
- Ep 103 "Valentine's Day of Horror."

BACK TO SCENE:

NATE

Yup... There's nothing like it... I'd be curious to see what food is like at other schools.

CUT TO LOUD HOUSE CLIPS:

- Ep 520 "How the Best was won"
- Ep 523 "Diss The Cook'
- Ep 522 "Farm to Unstable"
- Ep 319 "Farm to Unstable"

BACK TO SCENE:

NATE (CONT'D)

Double meatball subs??? Are you kidding me? That would be awesome! I think I know something else that will be just as impressive! Follow me.

The screen wipes to our next scene.

INT. SCHOOL THEATRE - DAY

Nate stands in front of a stage.

NATE

This is our theater. My friend Dee Dee is a dramatist extraordinaire. She's put on countless performances that would wow audiences all over the world!

CUT TO BIG NATE CLIPS:

- Ep 105 "CATastrophe"
- Ep 117 "The Future is Fuzzy"
- Ep 122 "Nate on a Hot Tin Roof"
- Ep 111 "THe Curse of the Applewhites"

BACK TO SCENE:

NATE

I don't know if other middle schools have showstoppers like those!

CUT TO LOUDHOUSE CLIPS:

- Ep 515 "Director's Rut"
- Ep 507 "Saved By The Spell"
- Ep 512 "Flying Solo"

BACK TO SCENE:

NATE (CONT'D)

Okay that was epic!

But, there is one more thing in my tour I want to show you. Come on!

END ACT TWO

ACT THREE

INT. HALLWAY - DAY

NATE

There's been something missing from my tour... All my friends! My adventures would be nothing without them. You've got to meet them. I told you about Dee Dee, our resident genius thespian, but you have to meet Francis. He's kind of my voice of reason. Oh and Teddy! My coconspirator in chief. With my pals by my side, nothing can go wrong.

CUT TO BIG NATE CLIPS:

Ep 115 "Best Laid Cell Plans"

Ep 121 "Sixtween Candles"

BACK TO SCENE:

Nate and the new kid are still in the hallway.

Heh heh... What can I say? If you're gonna be friends with me, you better get ready for a life of adventure. Speaking of... Don't look now... But Godfrey's right behind you!

MRS. GODFREY

You can't run from me forever! You're going to have detention for the rest of your life!

NATE

You know how to run, don't ya new kid? Cool. Cool. Cool. RUN!!!

(then to camera
nonchalantly)

NATE (CONT'D)

Kinda feels like I'm always on the run.

CUT TO BIG NATE CLIPS:

Ep 106 "The Pimple"

Ep 115 "Best Laid Cell Plans"

CUT

BACK TO SCENE:

EXT. PLAYGROUND - DAY

Nate and the new kid are safe outside on the playground.

NATE

Phew that was a close one! Mrs. Godfrey doesn't play around, I sure no other school has teachers like her!

TBD Clips of classroom moments from the Loud House

CUT

BACK TO SCENE:

NATE

Well new kid, we've successfully survived a chase together! That's a bond that can't be broken. You're one of us now. A hardened P.S. 38er for life.

Just stick with me...

MRS. GODFREY (O.S.)

NATE WRIGHT!

NATE

Uh oh. Looks like the jig is up. Thanks for taking the fall. I owe you one.

END OF EPISODE.