

Year 8 Learning Map

Badminton				
Prior Learning In Year 7 you learned the basic skills needed to play a competitive game of badminton. You should be able to identify different areas and lines on the court as well as set up and take down a net safely. You will have some experience of the serve. You should be able to hold a rally and have a competitive game with a partner.		Current Learning In this topic you will develop the skills learned in Year 7, to allow you to become a better/more effective badminton player. You will continue to practice shots such as the low forehand serve, overhead/underarm clear, drop and smash shots. There is a bigger emphasis on outwitting your opponent in Year 8 and you will look a shot placement/positioning to give you an advantage within competitive games. You will learn the specific rules for singles and doubles gameplay. More confident students may be able to umpire matches.		Subsequent Learning In Year 9, you will develop the backhand short serve to begin a rally. You will learn more about how to anticipate a serve and capitalise on a poor serve. You will learn how to move your opponent around their court and outwit them. You will also develop your ability to evaluate yours and others' performance.
Lesson Sequencing		Tier 3 Vocabulary	Wider Reading Opportunities	Ways in which parents/carers can support:
Lesson 1	Low Forehand Serve	1. Serve 2. Forehand 3. Backhand 4. Court Lines 5. Net 6. Rally 7. Overhead/Underarm Clear 8. Drop Shot 9. Smash 10. Singles/Doubles	Master Badminton Badminton Skills Badminton Information BBC Bitesize - Badminton	If possible, give students as many opportunities to play net/wall games: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Badminton • Tennis • Table Tennis • Squash This will help to develop a skill set which should be transferable between these types of sports.
Lesson 2	Overhead Clear Technique			
Lesson 3	Underarm Clear Technique			
Lesson 4	Drop Shot Technique			
Lesson 5	Smash Shot Technique			
Lesson 6	Shot Positioning			
Lesson 7	Singles Gameplay			
Lesson 8	Doubles Gameplay			