Badminton – Core and advanced skills

	Core skill	Advance skill
Year 7	- Short serve	- Drop shot
	- Return of serve	- Lift/underarm clear
	- Overhead clear	
Year 8	- Short serve	- Smash shot
	- Long serve	- Drive shot
	- Return of serve	- Teamwork and communication with
	- Overhead clear	partner (doubles only)
	- Drop shot	
	- Lift/underarm clear	
Year 9	- Short serve	- Flick serve
	- Long serve	- Net shots
	- Return of serve	Backhand shots:
	- Overhead clear	- Overhead clear
	- Drop shot	- Drop shot
	- Lift/underarm clear	- Lift/underarm clear
	- Smash shot	- Smash
	- Drive shot	- Drive
	- Teamwork and communication	
	with partner (doubles only)	Footwork and court positioning

Decision making and tactical awareness, to include

- Selection of appropriate shot
- Principals of attack and defence e.g. roles and positioning
- Understanding of positions and roles in attack and defence
- Applying tactics in different competitive situations (singles or doubles tactics)
- Applying different systems/formations of play in different situations e.g. attacking and defensive formations in doubles
- Applying other ploys/tactics to outwit opponent
- intercepting in doubles, disguising your shot, switching positions
- Awareness of the rules and regulations of the sport and their application