

OXFORD COLLEGE *of Emory University*
Division of Physical Education & Dance
P.E. 125 Badminton
Mr. Harris – Fall 1999

Course Description

This course is designed for the student with very little knowledge of the game of badminton with all students considered as beginners. Skills and elementary strategy will be taught for both singles and doubles play with the discussion of all rules and regulations.

Text

Badminton, James Poole

Dress/Equipment

Students should wear tennis or basketball shoes. Comfortable, loose-fitting, athletic wear is encouraged. Students are expected to furnish their own badminton racket.

Attendance

Students will be exposed to new skills on a daily basis with course content unfolding rapidly. Regular attendance is very important. An individual may incur three absences without penalty. These absences are to be used for illness, emergencies, religious holidays, etc. Students absent more than three times will have two points per absence subtracted from their final grade.

Grading

Skills component	40%
Written Test	40% (20% mid-term; 20% final)
Homework-Practice	20%

Skills Test

High clearing serve, forehand clear, overhead drop-forehand, short-low serve, smash, net drop-net clear forehand and backhand.

* There are a possible 10 good shots per test:

10 good shots = 100	5 good shots = 72
9 good shots = 94	4 good shots = 67
8 good shots = 88	3 good shots = 60
7 good shots = 82	2 good shots = 54
6 good shots = 77	1 good shots = 49
	0 good shots = 40

Written Test

Mid-Term Chapters 2, 3, 5

Final Exam Chapters 3, 4, Appendix C

Extra Credit

An opportunity for extra credit exist in the form of spontaneous class presentations, skills demonstrations, and specified outside participation in badminton related activities. These points will be added to the students final grade.

Homework

Each session of homework is to be performed in 30-minute minimum increments. A student is encouraged to spread the homework sessions over the three week span. It is preferred that not more than one homework session is to be performed on any given day. (A student is allowed to perform an additional homework session provided there exist a morning/afternoon/evening separation between the homework sessions.) Only those skills that have been taught in class should be practiced at any given time. An attended help session will count as a homework session. Homework slips may be picked up from the equipment room manager or from security.

<u>Homework Sessions/per 3-week period</u>	<u>Grade</u>
7	100
6	90
5	80
4	65
3	45
2	20
1	10

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August	26	Orientation to Class, Overview of Skills, Film
	31	Putting the Shuttle in Play, Overhead Clear
September	2	Review Clear, Overhead Drop, Footwork
	7	Review Clear and Overhead Drop, Net Drop, Net Clear
	9	Review All Strokes, Clear-Drop-Drop-Clear Drill
	14	Smash, Smash Return, Drop-Smash-Clear Drill
	16	Backhand Stroking Mechanics (Clear, Smash, Drop)
	21	High Clearing Serve, Short-Low Serve, Drive Serve, Service Return
	23	HOMEWORK DUE ; Combination Drills, Forehand-Backhand Drive
	28	Flick Serve, Drive, Supplementary Strokes
October	30	Skills Test 1
	5	Skills Test 1
	7-8	Mid-Semester Break
	12	<i>Mid-Term Review, Drills</i>
	14	Mid-Term Written Test
	19	Match Warm-Up, Singles Play Rules/Regulations
	21	Continuation of Singles Play
	26	HOMEWORK DUE ; Singles Play
November	28	Singles Play
	2	Singles Play
	4	Singles Play
	9	Doubles Play - Strategy
	11	Doubles Play
	16	HOMEWORK DUE , Doubles Play
	18	Mixed Doubles
	23	Skills Test II - Doubles Play
December	30	Skills Test II - Doubles Play
	2	Skills Test III
December	7	Final Exam / HOMEWORK DUE

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January	12	Orientation to Class, Overview of Skills, Film
	14	Putting the Shuttle in Play, Overhead Clear
	19	Review Clear, Overhead Drop, Footwork
	21	Review Clear and Overhead Drop, Net Drop, Net Clear
	26	Review All Strokes, Clear-Drop-Drop-Clear Drill
	28	Smash, Smash Return, Drop-Smash-Clear Drill
February	2	Backhand Stroking Mechanics (Clear, Smash, Drop)
	4	High Clearing Serve, Short-Low Serve, Drive Serve, Service Return
	9	HOMEWORK DUE ; Combination Drills, Forehand-Backhand Drive
	11	Flick Serve, Drive, Supplementary Strokes
	16	Combination Drills, Point Play
	18	Combination Drills, Point Play
	23	Skills Test 1
	25	Skills Test 1
March	2	HOMEWORK DUE ; Skills Test I, Mid-Term Review
	4	MID-TERM EXAM
	8-12	<i>Spring Break</i>
	16	Match Warm-Up, Singles Play Rules/Regulations
	18	Singles Play
	23	Singles Play
	25	Singles Play
	30	Singles Play
April	1	HOMEWORK DUE ; Doubles Play Rules/Regulations
	6	Doubles Play
	8	Doubles Play
	13	Mixed Doubles
	15	Skills Test II
	20	Skills Test II
	22	Skills Test III, Review Final Exam
	27	HOMEWORK DUE; FINAL EXAM