All Hong Kong Schools Jing Ying Badminton Tournament 2026-2027
(Secondary Schools Section)
2026-2027年度全港學界精英羽毛球比賽 (中學組)

【General Rules】

The All Hong Kong Schools Jing Ying Badminton Tournament is organized by the Schools Sports Federation of Hong Kong, China, and subvented by the Leisure and Cultural Services Department.

1. *Competition Schedule

Date	Time	Venue	Event
03/11/2026 (Tue)	08:00-16:00	Yuen Chau Kok Sports Centre	中學組
04/11/2026 (Wed)	08:00-20:00	Shun Lee Tsuen Sports Centre	
06/11/2026 (Fri)	09:00-19:00	Shek Kip Mei Sports Centre	
08/11/2026 (Sun)	08:00-21:00	Yuen Chau Kok Sports Centre	
09/11/2026 (Mon)	08:00-18:00	Lung Sum Avenue Sports Centre	
10/11/2026 (Tue)	08:00-16:00	Yuen Chau Kok Sports Centre	
26/11/2026 (Thu)	08:00-17:00	Tai Hing Sports Centre	

Remarks: *Event details will be updated on 5th October 2026 (Mon).

2. Eligibility of Participants

2.1 All participants must be born on or after 1 January 2008

2.2 Upon marshalling, Participants MUST present their valid **Electronic** Student Athletes Registration Card 2026-2027 (with the mark of "E-Card"). Failure to do so will result in disqualification.

3. Competition System

3.1 Two categories: Boys and Girls; Two events: Singles and Doubles, each participating school may enter a maximum of 4 boys and 4 girls including 2 in Singles and 1 team in Doubles;

3.2 Players can participate in either the Singles or Doubles;

3.3 Single Knock-out system;

3.4 For preliminary round to top 16, matches will be played to the best of one game. Top 8 to final, matches will be played to the best of 3 games. Each game should be 21 points as adopted by the Badminton Association of Hong Kong, China (BAHKC).

3.5 There shall be position matches to determine the 1st to 8th positions for Singles; the 1st to 4th positions for Doubles.

4. Awards

4.1 Trophies (1st to 8th) and certificates will be awarded to top 8 winners of Singles.

4.2 Trophies (1st to 4th) and certificates will be awarded to top 4 winners of Doubles; Trophies (Merit Award) and certificates will be awarded to 5th-8th places of Doubles.

4.3 Trophies (5th to 8th) in doubles will be awarded after the competition finishes. Trophies (1st to 8th) in singles and (1st to 4th) in doubles will be distributed on the Final Day after competition finishes.

5. Entry Fee

5.1 $ 130 per participant in singles

5.2 $ 130 per pair in doubles

6. Seeding Arrangement

6.1 A maximum of 16 seeding positions / 8 seeding positions will be allotted to singles and doubles events respectively. The Badminton Technical and Selection Subcommittee reserves the right to make all final seeding decisions.

6.2 Singles Event - according to the following sequence:

6.2.1 Ranking top 8 positions of singles event from last year's Tournament.

6.2.2 Ranking 9th-16th positions of singles event from last year's Tournament.

6.2.3 Ranking top 8 positions of singles event (Current year's Open Grade of BAHKC):-

a) HK Annual Badminton Championships b) HK Youth Badminton Championships

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Remarks: 1. For players who promote from primary section to secondary section **NO consideration** will be taken of their previous year's results.

2. Players who belong to the same school will be allotted separately in upper and lower tiers by drawing lots.

6.3 Doubles Event - according to the following sequence:

6.3.1 If the pairing is the same as last year: ranking top 8 positions of doubles event of last year's Tournament.

6.3.2 If the pairing is different from last year, will count the best results of :

a) Both players ranking in top 8 positions in singles events of last year's Tournament.

b) Ranking top 8 positions of doubles event (Same pairing of Current Year's Open Grade of BAHKC):-

1) HK Annual Badminton Championships

2) HK Youth Badminton Championships

Remark: 1. No seeding will be made if no teams meet these criteria.

Note: *All participating schools are responsible for providing correct information and proof for seeding consideration while handing in the entry form. Lack of proof or incorrect entry data will be treated as forfeit of seeding position.*

7. Important Date

Closing Date of Entries: **30th September 2026 (Wed)**

7.2 Confirmation of Entries: **On or before 9th October 2026 (Fri), 17:00**

Accepted entries and event details will be uploaded to the website of the HKSSF (www.hkssf.org.hk) on 5th October 2026 (Mon) for checking. Schools should check the Participating List carefully to ensure all entries are included and the names of players are correct. Discrepancies must be reported to the HKSSF before 9th October 2026 (Fri), 17:00. No alteration of players would be entertained after closing date.

7.3 Lots Draw for seeding: **15th October 2026 (Thu)**

Schools are welcome to witness the lots drawing for seeding at 17:30 in the Federation Office (Room 205).

7.4 Competition Fixtures: **27th October 2026 (Tue)**

Competition fixtures and reporting time will be uploaded to the website of the HKSSF. Participating schools please download fixtures from the web.

8. Others

8.1 The Badminton Association of Hong Kong, China (BAHKC) and Badminton World Federation rules will be adopted unless otherwise specified.

8.2 Apart from the above mentioned, other rules and regulations will be followed with reference to the Secondary Schools General Information Booklet 2026-2027 issued by the Hong Kong Island & Kowloon Regional Committee and the New Territories Regional Committee.

8.3 Shuttlecocks (RSL Tourney#1) will be provided for competition.

8.4 Uniform:

8.4.1 Players should wear short-sleeved shirt with sports shorts or pants a it is not necessary for players in doubles to dress in identical uniform with same colour and same style.

8.4.2 The shirts shall be bearing school name / abbreviation / badge, which should be sewn or stenciled permanently.

8.4.3 In general, please refer to General Rules of Sports Competition item 7.

8.4.4 Uniform must not contain any slogans or advertising with indecent information, such as gambling, tobacco, spirits, political, and any discriminative, abusive, or unethical statements.

8.5 All participants must report at venue according to reporting time. Failing report or to play at the scheduled time will lead to a walk-over.

8.6 Due to disciplinary and safety measures, each participant school should assign a staff member or an authorized Team Manager (Non-staff member) to accompany the participants until the end of the competitions and he/she should take full responsibility of the conduct of the participants and their supporters both on and off the courts. The application of authorized Team Manager (Non-staff member) must be submitted online at least 4 working days prior to the Team Manager's assumption of duty. (https://star.hkssf.org.hk/login)

8.7 Entry receipts and athlete certificates will be posted within a month after the Tournament finishes.

8.8 Submitted personal information will be used solely for the purpose of processing and administering participation in competitions, events, selections, and result announcements organized by the HKSSF. Relevant arrangements, results, performances, and required personal information will be published on the HKSSF official website and platforms. Member schools are responsible for ensuring that consent has been obtained from students' parents/guardians or other relevant parties prior to submitting entries.

8.9 The Federation may conduct photography and video recording during competitions / activities. Such materials will be published on the Federation's website / social media accounts, and may also be used for future promotional and publicity purposes. Participants who do not agree to the above arrangements, the school must complete and submit the "Notice of Objection for the Release or Promotional Use of Event Photos and Video Footage" form to facilitate appropriate arrangements.

8.10 The Organizing Committee has full right to make amendments on any matters when necessary.

9. Enquiry

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