

Eclipse Ball Study Guide

Eclipse ball is a combination of volleyball, badminton, and tennis.

The game is played to 21 having to win by 2 points.

The game is played with 6 players that rotate clockwise on a serve only. (in class we play with more to get everyone a chance to play)

Eclipse ball is started with a volley for the serve. For the volley to count, the ball must pass over the net a minimum of 3 times.

The ball must always be served underhand.

The server can serve up to the free throw line and farther back.

There are 3 bounces allowed out of bounds to recover the ball.

“Play-it” is worth 2 points every time it is called.

Each team is allowed a double bounce, in bounds, 1 time per side, per volley.

Players are not allowed to cross the net with their racquets and are not allowed to cross under the net. (yes, it happens in pe...)

The only team that can score is the serving team UNLESS there is a “play-it” called.

Players are NOT ALLOWED to interfere with opposing players trying to save a ball hit out of bounds.

In Eclipse Ball the lines are always in.

Players can use their hands, head, and feet along with their racquet to hit the ball.

Players are not allowed to enter the opposing team’s court.

On the serve, a ball that hits the net and continues over is considered a good serve.

Players can pass the ball back and forth as many times as they would like.