

Inter-school IT quiz from Nov 8

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THE INTER-school Information Technology (IT) Quiz, organised by Tata Consultancy Services (TCS), will be held on November 8 in the city. In its third consecutive year, 600 teams from Uttar Pradesh and Uttarakhand will participate in the quiz.

Each team will have two contestants each. Over 500 teams have registered themselves and TCS will accommodate another 100 entries.

"Students between Class VIII to XII could participate and each school can send maximum 10 entries", said principal consultant of TCS, Jayant Krishna. He further said that winner of the IT Wiz 2008 will get laptops and the runners-up will be rewarded with digital cameras and portable DVD Players with screens. The six finalists will receive gift hampers from TCS and MP3 players. The event will be held at Ravindralaya auditorium, near Charbagh railway station.

The organizers are receiving entries from schools across Kanpur, Allahabad, Varanasi, Faizabad, Dehradun, Nainital and several other cities.

Entries could be sent through respective institutions on or before November 4. The Quiz will focus on world of Internet and unique websites, IT buzzwords and acronyms, IT Personalia, advertisements of IT and communication companies, software products, companies, brands, history of IT etc. Girish Balasubramanyam will be the quizmaster for the show.