

TCS IT quiz on October 5

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KOCHI: The Kerala edition of TCS IT Wiz, the interschool IT quiz competition organised by Tata Consultancy Services will be held at Gokulam Convention Centre, Kallur, on October 5.

The contest is open to students from standard eight to 12. Institutions are allowed to send multiple teams of two members each.

Apart from Kochi, the contest is being held in Hyderabad, Ahmedabad, Kolkata, Bangalore, Chennai, Coimbatore, Pune, Bhubaneswar, Lucknow, Mumbai and Delhi. The regional rounds will be followed by national finals in December where the regional winners along with the winners of UAE edition will fight it out for the TCS IT Wiz National Champion title.

The six teams for the final of the regional final will be

identified through a written preliminary round of 20 questions each. The winner of the final will represent the State at the national finals.

The regional winners will walk away with a Galaxy Note each while the runners-up will take home a Galaxy Tab. Both the teams will receive specially designed trophies.

The quiz will focus on applications of information technology across various sectors such as world of Internet and unique web sites, IT buzzwords and acronyms, IT personalia - international, national and local, advertisements of IT and communication companies, software products and brands, history of IT as well as the humorous side of IT.

The quiz will also cover areas where IT has made an impact - education, entertainment, books, multi-

media, music, movies, internet, banking, advertising, sports, gaming, social networking, blogging, and cell phones. There will also be an exclusive round on TCS.

A release issued here on Tuesday quoted Santosh Kurup, centre head, TCS Kochi, as saying that the TCS IT Wiz has proved to be a great platform to pass on the beacon of knowledge to the next generation of inquisitive minds.

Entries for the contest have to be sent through the respective institutions on or before October 2 to TCS IT Wiz Coordinator, Tata Consultancy Services, Tejomaya, L & T Tech Park Limited, Infopark, Kusumagiri Post, Kakkanad, Kochi - 682030.

For further details contact: 0484-6618070, 09745035001. Registration can be done online by logging on to the website www.tcsitwiz.com.