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The Tata Consultancy Services IT quiz is back for its 2016 edition in Chennai. Scheduled to be held next week, the TCS IT Wiz 2016 is one of the country's biggest technology quizzes for the schools. This year, it will be held across 15 locations in India, including Bangalore, Chennai, Delhi, Hyderabad and Mumbai among others.

The quiz is open to students from Class VIII to XII, and each institution can send multiple teams, with each team comprising two members.

Quiz format: The top six teams from the written preliminary round will qualify for the Regional finals.

The winning team from the Regional finals will compete in the Mega Finals to be

held in Mumbai in December this year.

Prizes: The Regional champion will walk away with an iPad Air each, while the runners-up will be rewarded an iPad Mini along

The quiz will be held on August 18 at Music Academy. The last day to register is August 13. There is no entry fee. Send entries to J. Savithri, Tata Consultancy Services, TCS IT Wiz Coordinator, 415/21-24, Kumaran Nagar, Sholinganallur, OMR, Chennai – 600119. For details, contact 98400 88008. You can register online at www.tcsitwiz.com

with a specially-designed trophy and medals. The six finalists will also receive an array of prizes.

Tweeporting: The Regional finals will have a Twitter contest for all the participants. The top two highest tweets and the best "tweet of the day" will receive prizes.

#Node contest: Based on the concept of "6 Degrees of separation" the contest combines networking, trivia from the world of technology, with the application of lateral thinking, to connect people, companies and terms with the help of cryptic clues. Participants need to tweet the answer to @TCSITWiz or post on the Fb page @TCSITWizQuiz using #Node #TCSITWiz.