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## Chiranjibi, Vedaansh win TCS IT Wiz 2018 Bhubaneswar edition

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CHIRANJIBI Pradhan and Vedaansh Pradhan from Belpahar English Medium School won the Bhubaneswar edition of the TCS IT Wiz-2018, India's biggest inter-school quiz, organised by Tata Consultancy Services (TCS).

The Regional Champions this year walked away with gift vouchers worth Rs 60,000 along with trophy and medals while the

runners-up represented by Swastik Das and Priyanshu Mishra from Sai International School, Patia were rewarded with gift vouchers worth Rs 40,000.

The six finalists also received an array of prizes from TCS ranging from gym bag, multifunctional music torch with bluetooth speaker and wireless outdoor speaker along with TCS50 pen drive.

Prizes were distributed by the guest of honour Manas Ranjan Panda, Director - Software



Technology Park of India (STPI), Bhubaneswar, along with Manoj Panda, Centre Head - TCS Bhubaneswar and Damodar Padhi, Vice President and Global Head Talent Development - TCS.

The winners will repre-

sent Bhubaneswar in the National Finals to compete with 11 other regional champions across India.

The event, held at a city hotel here today, witnessed participation from over 1000 school students from

Bhubaneswar. Outstation teams from Puri, Cuttack, Paradip, Rourkela, Jharsuguda, Damanjodi, Jajpur, Ganjam, Berhampur and Jamshepur also took part in the Bhubaneswar edition of the TCS 'knowledge Initiative'.

Aimed at building awareness about the growing significance of empowering technology skills, this strongly-contested annual knowledge initiative was open to students studying in Class VIII to XII.