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Pune winners of Tata Building India School Essay felicitated

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The Tata group recently felicitated the city-level winners of the 'Tata Building India school essay competition 2015-16' from Maharashtra at the Yashada Auditorium in Pune.

The theme for the essay competition was 'Digital technology for a better India'. The winners from Maharashtra were shortlisted from a participation of over 2.8 lakh students from over 580 schools for the English and Marathi editions. The English edition winners were from 2 cities in which 89 English medium schools participated. The Marathi edition winners were from 500 schools across 15 cities.

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Tata Group felicitates city level winners of 'TBI School Essay Competition' from Maharashtra

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Started in 2006 as an English language essay contest covering 6 cities and 100,000 students, the Tata Building India School Essay Competition competition has grown manifold to become India's largest essay competition.

Founded by Jamsetji Tata in 1868, the Tata Group is a global enterprise headquartered in India, comprising over 100 independent operating companies.

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City Level winners of 'Tata Building India School Essay Competition 2015-16' from Maharashtra felicitated in Pune

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Tata Group felicitates city-level winners of school essay contest

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City Level winners of 'Tata Building India School Essay Competition 2015-16' from Maharashtra felicitated in Pune

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The Tata group today felicitated the city-level winners of the 'Tata Building India School Essay Competition 2015-16' from Maharashtra at the Yashada Auditorium in Pune.

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City Level winners of 'Tata Building India School Essay Competition 2015-16

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The Tata group today felicitated the city-level winners of the 'Tata Building India School Essay Competition 2015-16' from Tamil Nadu and Pondicherry at the Russian Center of Science and Culture in Chennai.

The theme for the essay competition was 'Digital Technology for a Better India' The winners from Tamil Nadu and Pondicherry were shortlisted from a participation of over 3.

5 lakh students from over 670 schools for the English and Tamil editions. The English edition winners were from 6 cities in which 223 English medium schools participated. The Tamil edition winners were from 450 schools across 14 cities.

The winners were awarded trophies, gifts and certificates at the ceremony held at the Russian Center of Science and Culture in the presence of Mr. P.A. Naresh, Joint Director/Secondary, Directorate of School Education, Government of Tamil Nadu.

Speaking on the occasion, Mr. P.A. Naresh, Joint Director/Secondary, Directorate of School Education, Government of Tamil Nadu said "I'm extremely happy to be a part of the felicitation ceremony. I would like to thank the Tata group for providing this platform year on year and encourage students to showcase their talents. The theme for this year is very apt as we all know that technology is indispensable. I congratulate all the winners and wish them all success in their future endeavors".

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Tata Building India School Essay Competition 11th Edition to focus on Global Warming and Climate Change

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The Tata group has announced the launch of the 11th edition of Tata Building India School Essay Competition, considered as India's largest school essay competition, a national level programme targeted to reach out to nearly 4 million students, from 8500 plus schools spread across 200 plus cities. The theme for this year's competition is 'Global Warming and Climate Change'. To be held in 13 languages- English, Hindi, Bengali, Gujarati, Tamil, Marathi, Kannada, Oriya, Telugu, Malayalam, Punjabi, Assamese and Urdu for the first time, the competition encourages young leaders to showcase their expressions in writing on various subjects of national importance.

Started in 2006 as an English-language essay contest, the Tata Building India School Essay Competition is organised every year to motivate and nurture young minds across India and encourage them to think on the lines of nation building. The pan India platform allows the youth of the nation to express their views and suggestions on subjects of national importance. Additionally, Tata ClassEdge, (A technology-enabled holistic instructional solution) will conduct the Tata Building India Essay Competition in their select partner schools. The 2016-17 competition will be conducted across the country from Jammu to Tirunelveli and Guwahati to Rajkot.

Speaking about the competition, Mr. Atul Agrawal, Senior Vice President - Corporate Affairs, Group Corporate Communications, Tata Services Limited said: With the launch of the eleventh edition of Tata Building India School Essay Competition we are hoping to expand further the decade long engagement with the youth of the nation. It is encouraging to witness the growing number of participants every year who bring with them fresh thoughts and perspectives on issues that impact the nation and society. This year's theme on global warming and climate change is relevant and through this platform to share ideas we hope to build on the nation-wide creativity to seed and drive a wave of positive change."

The Tata Building India School Essay Competition 2016 - 17 will be a two-phase activity in participating schools. The first phase consists of screening inspirational Tata-linked films which stimulate the students to think about the nation. Followed by this, students will be asked to write an essay on a given topic based on the theme this year - Global warming and climate change. To ensure a level playing field for students, the competition is conducted across two categories - Junior level for Classes 6-8 and Senior level for Classes 9-12. The essays are judged on the parameters of relevance to the topic, structure, creativity and communication of the idea, and prizes are awarded for school, city, and national level winners.

Coverage of the competition

The English edition of the competition will engage about 2,500 English-medium schools spread across 72 cities, while the Hindi edition will be conducted in 2000 schools across 58 cities in north and central India. Other regional language editions will be held in respective states, where the language is the state language, covering 300 to 500 schools for each language.

Started in 2006 with 6 cities and 100,000 students in the English language, the competition has grown manifold to become India's largest essay competition targeting to touch nearly 4 million students across 200 plus cities in 13 languages in 2016-17.

The major cities include Mumbai, Ahmedabad, Pune, Indore, Goa, Bhopal, Vadodara, Surat, Hyderabad, Bengaluru, Chennai, Kochi, Visakhapatnam, Puducherry (Pondicherry), Jammu, Shimla, Lucknow, Amritsar, Ajmer, Kanpur, Chandigarh, Meerut, Agra, Delhi-NCR, Jaipur, Kolkata, Jamshedpur, Darjeeling, Patna, Guwahati, Siliguri, Ranchi, Cuttack, Shillong, Jabalpur and others.

Judging process

The students write the essay only once and the same will be evaluated at three levels:

School level: At the school level essays are evaluated by judges within each school. Winning entries from each school qualify for city level evaluation.

City level: The essays of school level winners in each city are evaluated by a panel of judges from the field of academics and journalism, among others. The best essays win city-level recognition.

National level: The best essays from each city are finally judged by an elite panel comprising eminent people to choose the national winners in each language (regional level winners in case of regional languages).

Prizes

The winners at each level are rewarded and special functions are held to felicitate the city level winners and the national level winners. Prizes at the school level include certificates, medals and special Tata Building India merchandise. The city level winners and the runners-up receive prizes like cameras, blue tooth speakers, certificates, and trophies. The national level winners receive laptops as the grand prize.

The crowning moment for the national winners and the runners-up is a intended visit to Rashtrapati Bhavan in New Delhi and an interaction with a national level dignitary e.g. The Honorable President of India or the Vice President of India.

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Tata Building India School Essay Competition : Rajasthan felicitated

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The Tata group today felicitated the city-level winners of the 'Tata Building India School Essay Competition 2015-16' from Madhya Pradesh, Chhattisgarh and Rajasthan at the Jal Sabhagrah Auditorium in Indore. The theme for the essay competition was 'Digital Technology for a Better India'. The winners from Madhya Pradesh, Chhattisgarh and Rajasthan were shortlisted from a participation of over 6.5 lakh students from over 1300 schools for the English and Hindi editions. The English edition winners were from 3 cities in which 115 English medium schools participated. The Hindi edition winners were from 1200 schools across 34 cities. The winners were awarded trophies, gifts and certificates at the ceremony held at the Jal Sabhagrah Auditorium in the presence of Dr. Janak Palta McGilligan, Padma Shree Awardee. Speaking on the occasion Chief Guest Dr. Janak Palta McGilligan, Padma Shri Awardee said, "I am very pleased to present the prizes to the children who participated in the Tata Building India School Essay Competition 2015-16 program. I think it is a very good initiative by Tata to bring together students from different parts of the state under one roof without any discrimination with respect to their backgrounds. The essays submitted by the students encapsulated their refreshing views and ideas on the topic. The winning essays at the city level will be further judged by a prominent jury for national level recognition and will culminate with a proposed visit to the Rashtrapati Bhavan in New Delhi and an interaction with a national level dignitary, e.g. the President of India or the Vice President of India.

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