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Indian Society for Technical Education

Event “Code Hunt” Held by ISTE On 9th Oct, 2025

K. J. Somaiya Institute of Technology’s (KJSIT) Indian Society for Technical Education (ISTE) organized an event “Code Hunt” on 9th October 2025 from 12 PM to 4 PM at Lab L1. ISTE Student Coordinators & Team were the presenters for the event. The session was organized under the guidance of Prof. Tilotamma Dhake, Faculty Coordinator.

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Event Details:

Date and Time: 9th October 2025

Venue: Lab L1, KJSIT, Sion

Registration fee: ₹50

Time: 12:00 PM – 4.00 PM

Participants: All Students

Prize: ₹2000/-

Mode: Offline



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Objectives:

- To encourage and enhance the coding skills of the participants by providing them with challenging problems to solve.
- To foster critical thinking and time management among the participants as they work to overcome coding challenges.
- To provide a platform for participants to showcase their coding prowess and problem-solving abilities to a wider audience.

Faculty Coordinator:

- Prof. Tilotamma Dhake

Event Heads:

- Khushi Gupta
- Atharv Mirgal

About Event:

The ISTE committee of KJSIT conducted a thrilling event called “**Code Hunt**”. The code hunt Event was organized in the Lab L1, led by **Khushi Gupta** and **Atharv Mirgal**. The event planning commenced 9:00 AM in advance, ensuring all logistics were meticulously taken care of. Participants unleashed skills and achieved a chance to win a pool prize of up to Rs. 2000/- with their spirit. Event had three different stages.



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STAGE 1: MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS

The students were provided with a questionnaire comprising of 15 questions, which they had to solve in 10 minutes. The questions included basic coding questions, syntax, loops and pointers. A candidate needed to solve at least 5 correctly in order to proceed to the next round.

STAGE 2: DEBUGGING THE CODE

Each student was randomly assigned a PC which had a C language code written on the screen. This code had syntax and logical errors which the students had to resolve. The constraints included not changing the basic concept of the program. The students were timed, the less time they took the higher their score was. Top 5 students were selected for the next round.

STAGE 3: WRITING A PROGRAM FROM SCRATCH

The students were required to make a random selection from 5 given program prompts. They were each required to solve their given code on C within 15 minutes. The students were timed, the less time they took the higher their score was. Winners were the top 2 students who took the lowest times to complete their task in the third round

Rules:

- Solve round 1 within 10 minutes
- Properly debug and execute code in round 2
- Write an efficient code with minimum time complexity
- In case of tie, winners will be decided on the basis of:
 - Time taken to complete the task.
 - Efficiency of the code written



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Winners:

- **Winner:** Aryan Kasar
- **Runner up:** Shubham Deore

Event Glimpses:



Outcomes:

The code hunt Event in Lab L1 had several positive outcomes:

1. **Skill Advancement:** Participants honed their coding skills and problem-solving strategies during the Code Hunt, while also gaining experience in time-bound coding and logical application.
2. **Expanded Professional Networks:** The event facilitated interactions among team members and other professionals in the coding community, creating a broader network of support and knowledge sharing.
3. **Recognition and Rewards:** The distribution of prizes and recognition added an extra layer of excitement and motivation for participants, celebrating their hard work and achievements in the Code Hunt event.



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Conclusion:

The Code Hunt event in Lab L1 was a remarkable one-day experience filled with excitement, healthy competition and a strong sense of camaraderie within the virtual coding world. It successfully met its goals of fostering critical thinking, offering a refreshing break from the daily work routine and creating a sense of unity among lab members through the shared enjoyment of coding challenges. The event was impeccably organized, boasted an impressive turnout and left all participants eagerly looking forward to future coding events.

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