

Undertaking and Institutional Verification for the ICPC India Preliminary Online Round 2026
No need to submit separate undertaking for each of the regional site

Team Name-

Institute/College Name-

Coach Information-

Name

Job Title

Department
& Institute/College

Contestants Information-

	Contestant 1	Contestant 2	Contestant 3
Contestant Name			
Contestant Department			
Signature of each Contestant			
Contestant Institute/College			
Regional Sites where team is registered (Max 02 sites) ✓	☐ Amritapuri ☐ Chennai ☐ Kanpur ☐ Mathura		

Declaration by the Coach and Institutional Authority-

(To be signed by the Head of Department/ Principal/ Director/ Dean or another authorized institutional official) -

This is to certify that the above team registered from our institute for participation in the ICPC India Preliminary fulfil the following conditions:

- All the Contestants are currently bonafide students of this institute.
- The team Coach is a full time faculty member of this institute.
- The above team will be provided with proper infrastructure, including computer systems (**if required by team**) and space, to participate in the 2-3 hours Preliminary Contest to be held in online mode.
- The college/department will assist ICPC in proctoring the said team to prevent plagiarism, cheating, or any malpractice during the Preliminary Contest.
- If any team is found guilty of plagiarism, cheating, or malpractice, the institute may be debarred from ICPC participation across all regional sites for the next year, based on the severity. The team(s) involved may be **banned from the current and all future ICPC contests**.

Signature of Coach

Name:

Date:

Signature and Seal of authorized institutional official

Name:

Date:

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Note from the ICPC India Regional Contest Directors

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The **International Collegiate Programming Contest (ICPC)** is the world's **oldest, largest, and most prestigious programming contest** for university students. Popularly known as the "Olympics of Programming," it challenges students to solve complex, real-world problems under time and resource constraints. Participation in ICPC brings global recognition to students and their institutes, and many world-class universities take pride in their achievements in ICPC. The contest is team-based, with three students mentored by a faculty coach, highlighting not only technical skills but also teamwork, problem-solving ability, and institutional support.

It is to be noted that ICPC is an **institutional contest** meant for colleges, where the **coach plays a critical role** in guiding and mentoring the teams and serves as its **official institutional representative**. In some previous editions, registrations were submitted using unverified or unauthorized coach details, without adequate institutional involvement.

Also, over the past few years, it has been observed that instances of cheating and other malpractice have been reported during online preliminary contests. Unfortunately, this has resulted in several genuinely deserving teams losing the opportunity to qualify. Such practices have been seen both at the inter-institute and intra-institute levels.

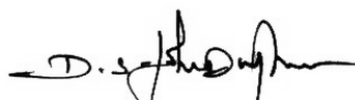
To address these issues and to ensure fairness and authenticity, this declaration form has been introduced. By signing this form, the Head of the Department/Director/Principal (*any one*) confirms the bonafide status of the students and certifies that the coach is a faculty member of the same institute. The institute also undertakes responsibility to provide infrastructure during the three hour online preliminary contest and extend support in proctoring the teams during the online preliminary contest.

We strongly believe that **ICPC cannot be conducted successfully without the support of esteemed institutes like yours**. Your cooperation is crucial to uphold the credibility, fairness, and prestige of the contest, and to ensure that deserving teams get their rightful opportunity.

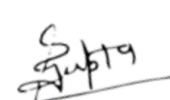
With sincere regards,



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