



## Sri Sri Kaushal Vikas Kendra, Solan, Himachal Pradesh:

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**A Sri Sri Computer Training Centre** was started in Solan, Himachal Pradesh by the Art of living teacher Shri Pankaj Arora and volunteers of Solan city. The training institute has gained popularity with the young people from different villages. The computer hub has become a platform for several unemployed youth and retired personals to explore further job opportunities.

More than 700 people have been trained in the past 3 years. One of the teachers of this institute, Miss Jyoti Thakur, resident of Shorn village of Jaunaji was trained in this institute and is now equipped with skill sets to train other students enrolled at this institute.

The success and popularity of this institute has encouraged the Solan chapter to start another institute for electrical training. A team of qualified personnel trained the locals of different villages of Solan in electric wiring and repair of electric goods. Several youth trained in this centre are eight pass and 18 years of age and undergo training for three months after which they get a chance to gain the status of self employment in due course of time.