

PROGRAMS

IN DETENTION CENTRES

You told us what detention centre activities you have been involved in. Here are some of them in order, from most to least mentioned:

- school
- sports or gym
- art, music or drama
- life skills like cooking and managing money
- tools or work skills
- cultural activities or elder visits
- drug and alcohol support
- counselling or therapy

Almost everyone finds these programs helpful or very helpful, especially cultural activities, sports or gym and counselling.

OTHER THINGS YOU WOULD LIKE TO DO IN DETENTION

We asked you about other activities you would like to do in detention. Here are some of the things you said:

Sport or gym

- *Bike riding*
- *Boxing*
- *Fitness, art and craft and bead making. Indigenous painting during school*
- *Just keep going with the gym*
- *More football*
- *More gym*
- *No but I want more gym sessions but they won't let me have any more*
- *Rodeo, fishing, biking*
- *To do gym during the structured day. Girls should be considered the same*
- *While we do heaps of sports we don't get any gym*
- *Yes, gym and hospitality*

Art, music or drama

- Art, on centre
- Beading and gym
- Ceramics, print making, music
- Hip-Pop
- Singing lessons

Work and life skills

- Cooking
- Like mechanics course
- More leatherwork
- Small engines
- Want to do personal grooming course. Apparently they run the course on weekends but only take four people at a time and it is based on a good behaviour system
- Yes, gym and hospitality

Cultural activities

- Cultural activities and elders
- Indigenous
- Indigenous art, dancing school, craft (Indigenous), cultural dancing, fitness programme. More cultural stuff. More Indigenous staff!
- Intensive fitness program. More of cultural arts and crafts and dance

