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Studies a sample of youth centres in New Zealand and discusses some of their strengths and weaknesses.

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