

Vehicle Safety Checklist

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Date of safety check:

Vehicle checked:

Windows

- Windshield has no scratches or cracks
- Windows roll up and down
- Windshield wipers are in working order

Tires

- Tire pressure is acceptable
- No bubbles, bulges, or holes in tire
- Tire tread is thick enough
- Spare tire is present, has good air pressure, and has acceptable tread
- Tire lugs are present and tool-tightened

Mirrors

- Mirrors are present, operational, and satisfactory

Under the Hood

- Hoses, gaskets, and belts are in working order
- Battery is in good health
- No leaks are noticeable
- Connections are complete to all visible components
- Fluids are at recommended levels (oil, transmission, power steering, windshield, etc.)

Exterior

- No rust spots are present
- License plate(s) are present and fastened tightly
- Underbody plastic panels are fastened and not sagging

- Front and rear bumpers are secured and in fair condition
- No noticeable leaks are present under the parked vehicle

Brakes

- There is enough material on all brake pads
- Emergency brake is operational
- No squeaking, squealing, or sponginess when applying brakes

Lights

- Hazards and front/ rear turn signals are operational
- Headlights and taillights are operational
- License plate light (if applicable) is operational
- Parking lights/ reverse lights are operational
- No warning lights are lit on the dashboard when the car is running
- High beams are operational

Interior

- No new, unexplained interior damage is present
- Gauges work correctly, as far as you can tell
- Rearview mirror is present and operational
- Horn works
- Emergency kit is present and contents are operational / not expired
- Steering wheel feels correct when operated