



Safe Driving Tips

- ✓ Wear your seatbelt
- ✓ Follow the rules of the road
- ✓ Obey speed limits and road signs
- ✓ Pay attention while driving
- ✓ Be courteous to other drivers
- ✓ Watch for pedestrians and bicycles
- ✓ Keep an emergency kit in the vehicle
- ✓ Inspect the vehicle before use
- ✓ Perform preventative maintenance regularly



Safe Driving Don'ts

- ✗ Drink alcohol and drive
- ✗ Make assumptions about other drivers' actions
- ✗ Tailgate
- ✗ Purposely break rules of the road
- ✗ Play music at disruptive levels
- ✗ Use your cell phone while driving
- ✗ Engage in other activities while driving
- ✗ Participate in road rage



Emergency Contact Numbers

For emergency police/fire/ambulance: **9-1-1**
Local police: (____) _____
Roadside Assistance: (____) _____



Pre-Trip Inspection Checklist

- Battery** – check the terminals for cracks, corrosion or damage
- Engine oil** – check the oil level and top up if low
- Transmission fluid** – check the fluid level and look for red or pink colour. If brown, change it.
- Antifreeze** – check the coolant in overflow tank
- Air filter** – check your owners manual to determine how to replace the air filter
- Tires** – check to ensure inflation to recommended levels and check tread



Emergency Kit and Winter Supplies

- Food (energy bars)
- Water
- Blanket
- Clothing, shoes/boots
- First aid kit
- Seatbelt cutter
- Small shovel/snowbrush
- Candle and matches
- Wind-up flashlight
- Whistle
- Roadmaps
- Emergency plan

In trunk:

- Sand, salt or cat litter
- Antifreeze, washer fluid
- Tow rope
- Jumper cables
- Fire extinguisher
- Warning light/flares