

Checklist: Before You Leave on a Road Trip

Car Checks:

- Check tires and tire pressure
- Secure and test the battery
- Top off engine oil and other fluids
- Replace wiper blades and replenish windshield cleaner
- Check belts and hoses
- Give the inside a good cleaning

Right before you leave:

- Double-check any bags secured outside of the vehicle
- Double-check the security of car seats
- Double-check whether items like bags might shift and hurt occupants
- Ensure sunglasses are handy
- Ensure snacks and drinks are easily accessible