

WINTER WEATHER DRIVING TIPS

Winter weather can produce unsafe driving conditions.

Drivers should take extra caution when driving in snow and ice.

Prepare your vehicle

Check engine coolant and antifreeze levels, replace worn out wiper blades, keep windshield wiper fluid full and check tire pressure and depth.

Keep gas tank at least half full

Water moisture in your fuel line can become icy and freeze. Also consider low-viscosity oil as it flows easier through moving parts.

Be cautious when warming up the vehicle

Never warm up your vehicle in an enclosed area, such as a garage.

Do not use cruise control when driving on icy or wet surfaces

This allows for better control of the vehicle in the event of hydroplaning or hitting an ice patch.

Accelerate, decelerate and drive slowly

Always adjust your speed to account for lower traction when driving on snow or ice.

