



EMERGENCY ITEMS THAT SHOULD ALWAYS BE IN YOUR TRUNK

First Aid Kit: Choose a kit that has significantly more items than you'll probably ever need because being overly prepared comes in handy. Suggested items for a first aid kit include a variety of bandages, gauze pads, antibiotic ointment, antiseptic wipes, non-latex gloves, and scissors.



Car Emergency Kit: A car emergency kit usually contains items such as jumper cables, pliers, scissors, duct tape, emergency triangles, and an emergency blanket that are critical for staying safe in a frightening situation.

Flashlight & Batteries: A flashlight and an extra set of batteries can save you from aimlessly searching for that lost lug nut in the dark. A flashlight also helps to show other motorists where you are.



Nonperishable Snacks: When you're stuck in your car for hours, despite the weather conditions, you're going to want to keep up your strength should you need to go for a long walk or dig yourself out of a snowy vehicle.

Water: If you get stranded in your vehicle or find that you must walk somewhere for help, fresh drinking water will keep you and your passengers hydrated while you wait for help.



Special Weather Precautions: If you are in cold weather conditions and you're worried about snow and/or ice, consider keeping a shovel and cat litter in the trunk so you can get yourself unstuck if necessary.