CHILD SEAT GUILDLINES

The safety and well-being of our passengers, especially children, are of utmost importance, and we encourage adherence to these guidelines to ensure a secure travel experience.

Meridian RV is unable to assist with the installation of car seats or provide recommendations on specific child restraints. While we can offer advice on the minimum requirements for child restraint seats and what our motorhomes can accommodate, it is important to note that we cannot guide parents on what child restraints are best suited for their child.

- Child Seat Installation: 1 child seat can be installed at the dinette positioned facing the direction of travel.
- Tether Anchor: All vehicles come equipped with one tether anchor.
- **Seat Belts:** The number of seat belts in the main cabin varies, ranging from 2 to 5 lap belts. There are two three-point harness seat belts in the driver's cab.
- **Booster Seat:** A booster seat can only be installed with a three-point harness seat belt in the passenger's seat of the driver's cab. It is **not recommended for children under 65lbs/30kg.**

ICBC MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS

Rear-facing car seat Infants/Toddlers from birth until at least 1 year old AND 9 kg (20 lbs)



MERIDIAN RV MOTORHOMES CAN ACCOMMODATE

One rear-facing car seat secured with lap belt at dinette

OR

Forward-facing with Tether Toddlers/Preschool older than one year AND over 9kg (20lbs) up to 18kg (40lbs)



One forward-facing car seat secured with tether anchor and lap belt at dinette

Booster Seat Children Under 9 more than 18 kg (40 lbs) AND under nine years old OR 145 cm (4'9") tall

It is more dangerous to use a booster seat with a lap belt, then it is to use a lap belt alone – see Motor Vehicle Act



One booster seat
(NOT RECOMMENDED)
secured with three-point harness
seat belt in passenger's seat of
driver's cab

Car seat recommendations are always changing, and not always consistent. It is important for customers traveling with children to stay informed about the latest guidelines and regulations for child seats when traveling in Canada.

Here are some links:

http://www.icbc.com/brochures/Pages/child-car-seats.aspx https://tc.canada.ca/en/road-transportation/child-car-seat-safety/choosing-child-car-seat-booster-seat

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