

# CHILD SEAT INFORMATION

## Motorhomes have 1 tether; 2 - 4 lap belts (living area); and 2 three-point harness seat belts in driving cab area

- Rear-facing infant/child seats can be installed with a lap belt in living area of motorhome
- Forward-facing child seats can be installed with a lap belt & tether in living area of motorhome
- Booster seats can only be installed with three-point harness seat belt in driving cab area (passenger's seat) (not recommended for children under 65lbs/30kg)

Meridian RV staff cannot assist with the installation of car seats or tell parents what child restraints are best suited for their children. All we can do is advise on what is considered the minimum requirement for child restraint seats and what our motorhomes can accommodate:

### ICBC MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS

#### **Rear-facing Infants/Toddlers**

from birth until at least 1 year old  
AND 9 kg (20 lbs)



#### **Forward-facing with Tether Toddlers/Preschool**

older than one year AND  
over 9kg (20lbs) up to 18kg (40lbs)



#### **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, than it is to use a lap belt alone – see Motor Vehicle Act*

### MERIDIAN RV MOTORHOMES

**Rear-facing**  
secured with lap belt

**Forward-facing with Tether**  
secured with lap belt & tether

**Booster Seat  
Not Recommended**  
(only available in driving cab)  
secured with three-point harness  
seat belt

**Car seat recommendations are always changing, and not always consistent. We encourage our customers traveling with children to educate themselves on the latest information regarding child seats if they are planning to travel in Canada.**

**Here are some links that they can go to:**

<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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