

3 Reasons to Check Your Jeep Bumpers Before a Road Trip

Description

You may not think about your [Jeep bumpers](#) often, but they should really be a part of your road trip checklist. Damaged and rusted bumpers are not just unsightly, they're potentially dangerous and risk affecting other vehicle components. Here are three reasons why you should take a closer look at your bumpers before hitting the road.

1. Damage to Other Components

A damaged or loose bumper can wreak havoc on wheel assemblies and body kits. Cracked plastic bumper covers, for instance, can break off at high speeds or causing rubbing the wheel well. Before your trip, check the cover for any cracks or weak fasteners that have the potential to snap. Don't wear out your new [method wheels](#) prematurely or damage your [retractable truck steps](#) with an errant piece of your old bumper.

2. Tow Strength

When you have a mounted [Jeep winch](#), your bumper plays an essential structural role. If your bumper is bent or otherwise damaged, your truck loses tow strength. Additionally, you risk taking the bumper and winch clean off the chassis. To ensure maximum towing capacity, you need a strong steel bumper kit free of any rust or corrosion.

Before you leave on your trip, take a good look at all the connection points between the bumper and chassis. Inspect for rust and loose nuts. At the first sign of weakness, you should replace the bumper, especially if you plan to tow on your trip.

3. Appearance

Last but definitely not least, damaged, worn out bumpers look shabby. If you're traveling to unknown places, your Jeep should look its best. A fresh bumper takes care of the scratches, dents and dings, giving your vehicle a fresh, clean look. Leave a good impression anywhere you travel and showcase your Jeep to the world.

With new Jeep bumpers, give your ride the facelift it deserves and tour the world in style.

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