HOW TO INSTALL IN A VEHICLE

instruction booklet model CS164



IMPORTANT: KEEP THIS INSTRUCTION BOOKLET IN THE PLACE PRO-

VIDED AT THE BACK OF THE CHILD RESTRAINT

IMPORTANT:

Before installation and use of this child restraint check that it is suitable for the size of your child.

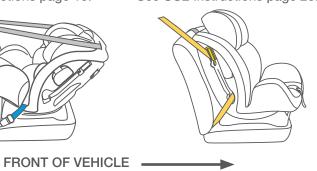
Refer to the shoulder height label information on pages 10 and 20 of the USE Instructions (on the back of this booklet).

Which way to face the restraint?

Install facing the back of the vehicle for babies and small toddlers. See USE Instructions page 15.



Install facing the front of the vehicle for bigger toddlers and small children. See USE Instructions page 25.



DO NOT USE THIS CHILD RESTRAINT UNTIL YOU HAVE READ AND UNDERSTOOD THE INSTRUCTIONS IN THIS USER GUIDE AND IN YOUR **VEHICLE OWNERS MANUAL**

BLUE = rearward facing information

YELLOW = forward facing information

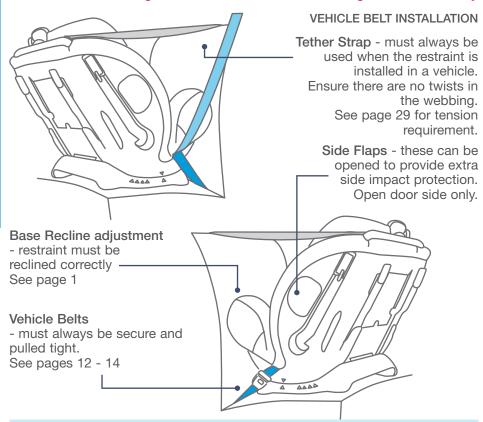
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Quick Reference - Rear Facing Vehicle Belts

IMPORTANT: After reading this Quick Reference read the following instructions carefully

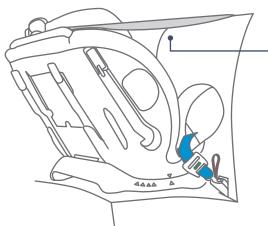


Read the whole of these instructions carefully and if there is any doubt about the method of installation, consult the child restraint manufacturer or agent, or a child restraint fitting station authorized by the relevant transport authority, or in New Zealand an agent for the vehicle.

Quick Reference - Rear Facing ISOFIX compatible connectors

IMPORTANT: After reading this Quick Reference read the following instructions carefully

ISOFIX COMPATIBLE STRAP INSTALLATION



always be used when the restraint is installed in a vehicle.
 Ensure there are no twists in the webbing.
 See page 29 for tension requirement.

Tether Strap - must

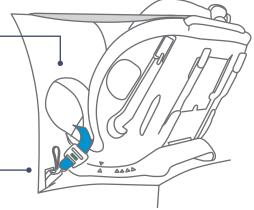
Base Recline adjustment

- restraint must be reclined correctly See page 11

ISOFIX compatible connector

 connector must always be securely attached to vehicle anchorage and the strap pulled tight.

See pages 16 - 18



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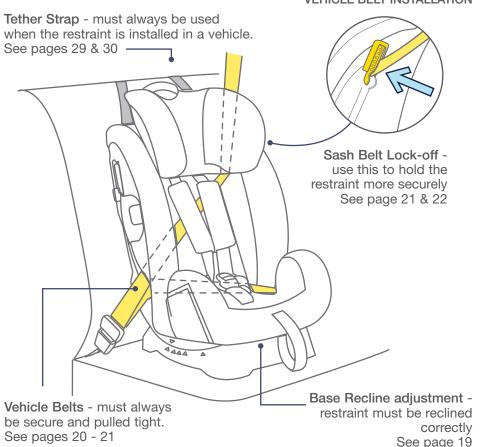
FACING INSTALLATION

REAR

Quick Reference - Forward Facing Vehicle Belts

IMPORTANT: After reading this Quick Reference read the following instructions carefully





Quick Reference - Forward Facing ISOFIX compatible connectors

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ISOFIX COMPATIBLE STRAP INSTALLATION

Tether Strap - must always be used when the restraint is installed in a vehicle. See pages 29 & 30

Base Recline adjustment

ISOFIX compatible connector - connectors must always be securely attached to vehicle anchorage and the straps pulled tight.

See pages 24 & 25

- restraint must be reclined correctly

See page 19

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FORWARD FACING INSTALLATION

WARNINGS

GENERAL WARNINGS

- Use the restraint exactly as shown in the instructions.
- Do not alter or modify this restraint.
- Repairs must only be done by the manufacturer or agent.
- Do not allow the restraint to come into contact with polishes, oils, bleach and other chemicals.
- Destroy the restraint if it has been in a severe crash, even if no damage is visible.
- A loose harness or restraint is dangerous.
- Fit the restraint firmly to the car seat.
- DO NOT USE A REAR FACING CHILD RESTRAINT WHERE AN AIRBAG IS FITTED IN FRONT OF THE SEATING POSITION.
- DO NOT LEAVE CHILDREN UNATTENDED IN THE CAR

IMPORTANT: Do not attach the lower attachment connectors of two separate child restraints to the same ISOFIX low anchorage in your car.

Always attach the top tether strap to the child restraint upper anchorage in your car.

Child restraint lower attachment connectors and the ISOFIX low anchorages in your car are designed to withstand only those loads imposed by a correctly fitted child restraint.

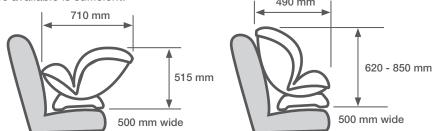
NOTE: The warnings on this page are required by the Australian and New Zealand Standard AS/NZS 1754 for this type of child restraint.

Other warnings specific to this child restraint will be found on the following pages and throughout these instructions.

ADDITIONAL WARNINGS

TO BE USED WITH A LAP-SASH/LAP ONLY SEAT BELT OR ISOFIX LOW ANCHORAGES IN THE BACK OF MOST CARS WITH FORWARD FACING SEATS.

When installed rearward facing this restraint is 710 mm long, 500 mm wide and 515 mm high. Check the measurement between the front of the seat back of the rear seat and all front seats in the car in which the restraint is intended to be used to ensure the space available is sufficient.



Seat belt extenders are not recommended to be used if the vehicle seat belt is not long enough to secure the child restraint. If the vehicle seat belt is not long enough to secure the restraint seek advice from a child restraint fitter.

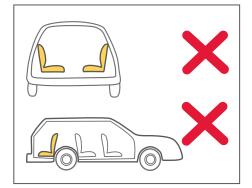
Read carefully the whole of the instructions for the installation, and in the event of doubt about the method of installation, consult the child restraint manufacturer or agent, or a child restraint fitting station authorized by the relevant transport authority, or in New Zealand, consult the agent for the vehicle.

Aftermarket accessories (i.e. items not provided in the box with the child restraint), may not have been tested for use with this child restraint and if used, may lower the level of protection offered possibly leading to injury or death.

Any aftermarket accessory used should be compliant with AS/NZS 8005 (Accessories for child restraints for use in motor vehicles) and stated as suitable for use with this child restraint.

ADDITIONAL WARNINGS

Only install child restraint in a forward facing vehicle seat. Never install in a seat that faces the rear or the side of the vehicle.



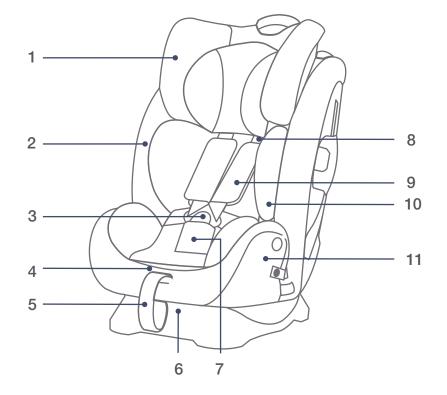
Never install the Child Restraint in a seat with a front airbag. DEATH or SERIOUS INJURY may occur. Refer to your vehicle Owners Manual for airbag warnings and information.



Features

- 1 Adjustable Headrest
- Seat Pad
- B Harness QR Buckle
- Harness Adjuster (under cover)
- 5 Harness Adjuster Webbing
- 6 Recline Angle Adjustment Handle

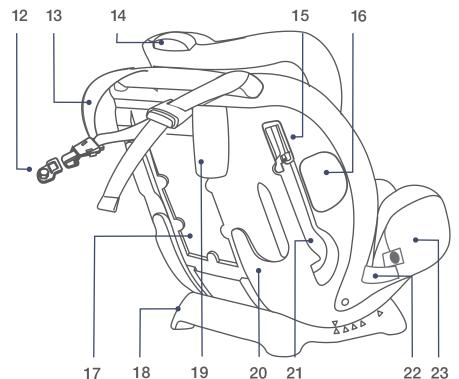
- 7 Crotch Pad
- 8 Shoulder Harness Strap
- 9 Shoulder Harness Strap Cover
- 10 Infant Body Support
- 11 ISOFIX strap storage pocket



Features

- Top Tether Anchorage
 Top Tether
 Head Support Adjuster Handle
 Sash Belt Lock-off Device
- 16 Extra side impact protection
- 17 Instructions Storage

- 18 Base
- 9 Top Tether End Storage Bag
- 20 Seat Shell
- 1 Forward-Facing Vehicle Belt Slot
- 2 Rear-Facing Vehicle Belt Slot
- 23 ISOFIX strap storage pocket



Recline Angle

This restraint should be installed in the rear seat. See Pages 7 & 8.

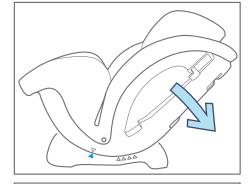
Correct Recline Angle

When used rear facing the restraint must always be fully reclined. The white arrow on the shell must be above the blue arrow on the base.

IMPORTANT: A correct recline angle is essential for your baby's safety.

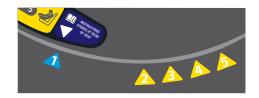
To Adjust:

1. Pull the release handle on the shell fully forward.





2. Rotate the shell until the white arrow is above the blue arrow.



Using Vehicle Belts

Fully recline the restraint. See page 20.

1. Place the restraint on the vehicle seat rear facing.

See pages 7 & 8 for recommended positions in the vehicle.

- 2. Pull the vehicle lap/sash belt out and pass through the slot in the restraint.
- 3. Pass the vehicle belts over the restraint seating surface and out the other side.

Ensure there are no twists in the belts.

4. Engage the vehicle belt buckle.

Pull the vehicle belts tight.

FACING INSTALLATION

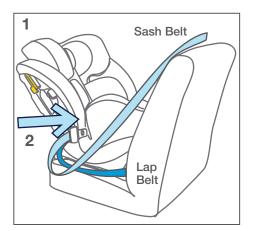
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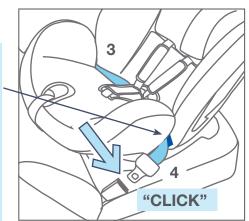
Connect the top tether strap. See pages 29 & 30 for more information

REARWARD - FACING BELT PATH

Look for this label showing the correct path for the vehicle belts

REARWARD FACING BELT PATH

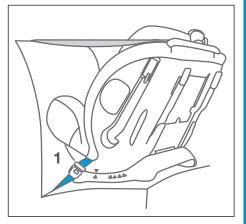




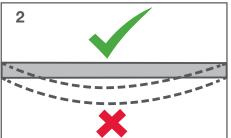
Vehicle Belt Checklist

The installed restraint should look like this:

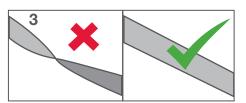
1 restraint fully reclined, vehicle belts securely connected to the belt buckle.



2 Belts pulled tight.



3 No twists in belts.



INSTALLATION

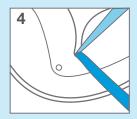
FACING

REAR

Vehicle Belt Checklist

4 Both lap and sash belt threaded through the slots in the side wings.

IMPORTANT: the vehicle belts must be fully down in the slots in the side wings



5 Tether Strap connected to the anchorage and correctly tensioned.

Store end of web in bag on back of cover.

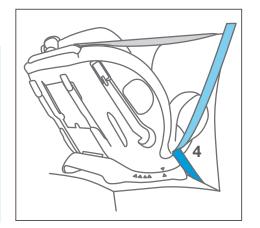
See pages 29 & 30 for more information.

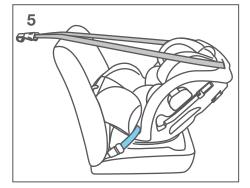
IMPORTANT

Some vehicles have airbags attached to the sash belt.

DO NOT install the restraint using using this type of belt.

If in doubt refer to the vehicle owners manual or an approved child restraint fitter.





Using ISOFIX compatible connectors

Some vehicles are fitted with low anchorage points specifically designed to allow connection by suitably equipped child restraints.

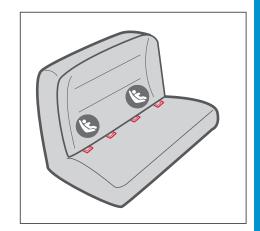
These are generally known as ISOFIX low anchorage points and are found at the bottom of the vehicle back seat backrest.

If the ISOFIX low anchorage points are not clearly visible the vehicle seat will be marked with appropriate labels to show their location.

The marking will be adjacent to the anchorage points.

If in doubt that the vehicle is fitted with such points check the vehicle Owners Manual.

Some vehicles sourced from the USA may be marked LATCH. ISOFIX and LATCH anchorage points are identical.





ISOFIX

LATCH

Using ISOFIX compatible connectors

Fully recline the restraint. See page 11.

1. Place the restraint on the vehicle seat rear facing.

See pages 7 & 8 for recommended positions in the vehicle.

- 2. Take the ISOFIX compatible connectors out of the storage pockets on either side of the restraint.
- 3. Connect each to the steel rod in the vehicle seat bight.

Ensure there are no twists in the webbing.

4. Pull the straps tight.

FACING INSTALLATION

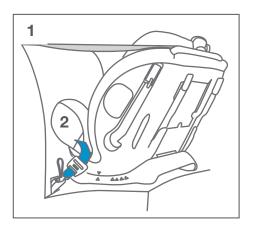
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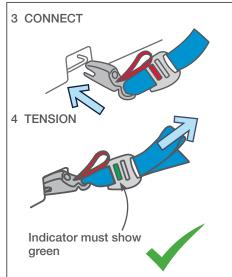
NOTE: when using or storing the straps ensure they are not twisted around the lap belt portion of the harness.

Connect the top tether strap.

Store end of web in bag on back of cover.

See pages 29 & 30 for more information



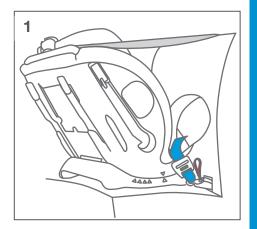


ISOFIX compatible connector checklist

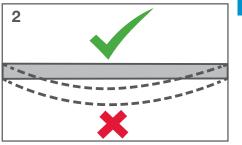
Checklist

The installed restraint should look like this:

1 Vehicle belts securely connected to the belt buckle,



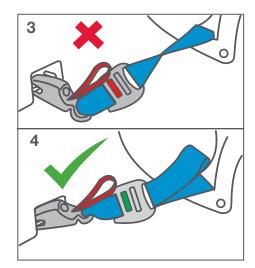
2 Belts pulled tight,



ISOFIX compatible connector checklist

3 No twists in belts,

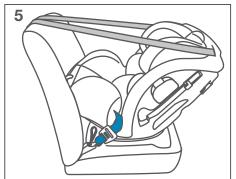
4 Belts tensioned, indicator shows green



5 Tether strap connected to the anchorage and correctly tensioned.

Store end of web in bag on back of cover.

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Recline Angle

Correct Recline Angle

When used forward facing the restraint must always be correctly reclined. The white arrow on the shell must be above one of the yellow arrows on the base.

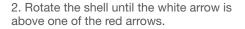
Select a position that gives the most comfort for your child.

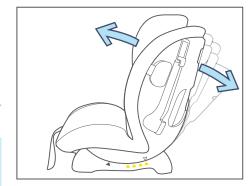
IMPORTANT A correct recline angle is essential for your child's safety.

DO NOT use the position marked by the blue arrow when the restraint is forward facing.



1. Pull the release handle on the shell fully forward.









Using Vehicle Belts

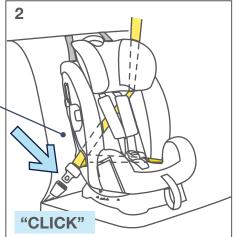
See pages 7 & 8 for recommended positions in the vehicle.

Place the restraint on the vehicle seat forward facing.

- 1. Pull the vehicle lap/sash belt out and thread it through the vehicle belt slots at the back of the child restraint.
- 2. Engage the vehicle belt buckle.

FORWARD-FACING BELT PATH Look for this label showing the correct path for the vehicle belts TORMARD FROM BELT PATH ARRANGE BELT PATH Look for this label showing the correct path for the vehicle belts





Using Vehicle Belts

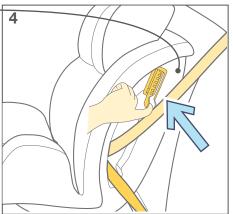
- 3. While pressing the child restraint down firmly into the vehicle seat, pull the vehicle sash belt until both lap and sash belts are tight.
- 4. Maintain tension on the vehicle sash belt and open the lock-off device and slide the sash belt into it.

CAUTION: always check that when the sash belt is locked in place it is fully tensioned. There must be no slack in the belts behind the seat.

Connect the top tether strap. See pages 29 & 30 for more information







FORWARD FACING INSTALLATION

Vehicle Belt checklist

Checklist

The installed restraint should look like this:

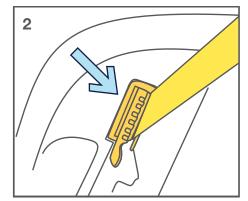
1 Vehicle belts securely connected to the belt buckle,



2 Sash Belt locked in guide.

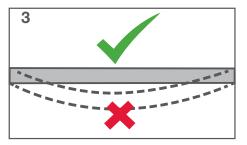
IMPORTANT

Some vehicles have airbags attached to the sash belt. DO NOT install the restraint using using this type of belt. If in doubt refer to the vehicle owners manual or an approved child restraint fitter.

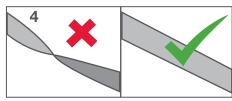


Vehicle Belt checklist

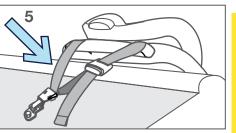
3 Belts pulled tight,



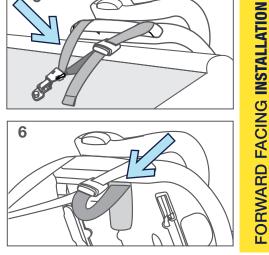
4 No twists in belts,



5 Tether Strap connected to the anchorage and correctly tensioned.



6 Store end of web in bag on back of cover.



Using ISOFIX compatible connectors

See page 15 for information on the ISO-FIX anchorages in vehicles.

See pages 7 & 8 for recommended positions in the vehicle.

See page 19 for recommended recline angle.

1 Place the restraint on the vehicle seat forward facing.

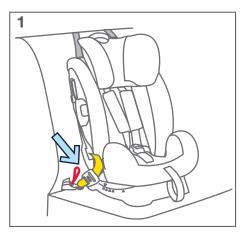
Take the ISOFIX compatible connectors out of the storage pockets on either side of the restraint.

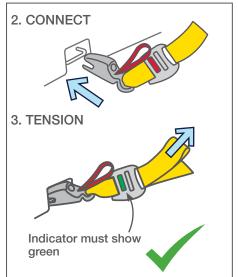
2 Connect each to the steel rod in the vehicle seat bight.

Ensure there are no twists in the webbing.

3 Pull the straps tight.

Connect the top tether strap. See pages 29 & 30 for more information





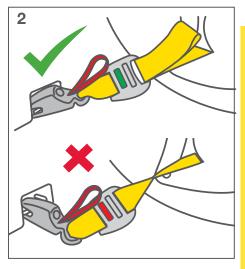
ISOFIX compatible connector checklist

The installed restraint should look like this:

1 ISOFIX compatible connectors securely connected to the anchorages.



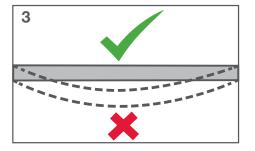
2 No twists in straps, Indicator shows green



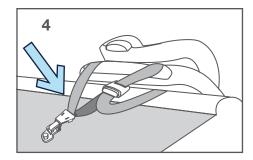
FORWARD FACING INSTALLATION

ISOFIX compatible connector checklist

3 Straps pulled tight,



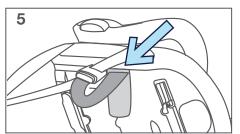
4 Tether Strap connected to the anchorage and correctly tensioned.



5 Store end of web in bag on back of cover.

FACING INSTALLATION

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WARNINGS

TOP TETHER

THIS RESTRAINT MUST BE ATTACHED TO A CHILD RESTRAINT UPPER ANCHORAGE POINT IN THE CAR.

REFER TO CAR OWNERS HANDBOOK FOR LOCATION OF UPPER ANCHORAGE POINTS.

REFER TO A CHILD RESTRAINT FITTING STATION IF NO ANCHORAGE POINTS ARE IN THE MOTOR CAR.

THIS RESTRAINT IS NOT SUITABLE FOR USE WHERE THE TOP TETHER STRAP MAY FALL INTO A SPLIT IN THE SEAT BACK OR OFF THE SIDE OF THE SEAT.

Always secure the loose end of the top tether strap to prevent it hanging out of the car or being accessible by the child. Store it in the bag attached to the back of the cover.

Do not use the child restraint where this strap may fall into a split in the seat back or off the side of the seat.

ALWAYS ATTACH HOOK AND REMOVE SLACK.

CAUTION: CHILDREN CAN BE INJURED OR RESTRAINTS AND TOP TETHER STRAP DAMAGED BY UNSECURED CARGO IN A COLLISION.
SECURE OR REMOVE HAZARDOUS CARGO BEFORE USING THIS CHILD RESTRAINT.

INSTALLATION

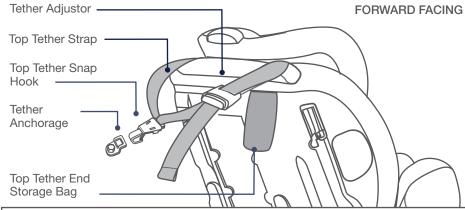
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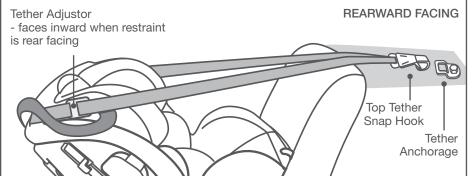
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Top Tether - Features

This child restraint has a tether strap permanently attached to the back of the seat. Always use this tether strap.

Connect the tether strap to the built-in anchorage fitting in the vehicle, or if there is not one available, install the anchor fitting supplied with this restraint by following the instructions on the next pages.

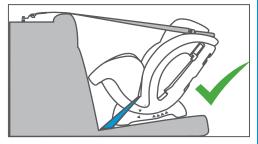




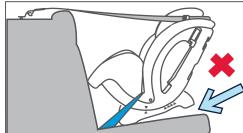
Top Tether Use

REAR FACING

Adjust the tether tension until the webbing is pulled tight.



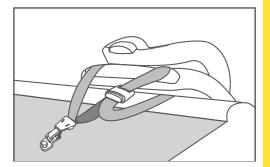
Do not adjust so tight that it lifts the child restraint off the vehicle seat.



FORWARD FACING

Adjust the tether tension until the webbing is pulled tight.

In some vehicles without a fixed parcel shelf an extension tether strap may be required. These are available in several different lengths and can be obtained from child restraint retail outlets.



FACING INSTALLATION

REAR

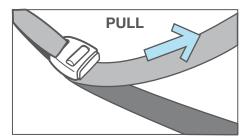
Top Tether Use

Always connect the snap hook securely to the anchorage fitting.

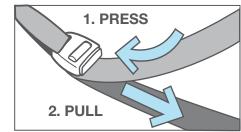


Increase tether tension by pulling web out.

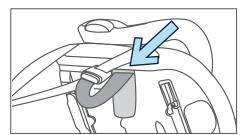
if the web is stiff to pull through the adjustor also press the release button.



Reduce tension by pressing release button and pulling web out.



Store end of web in bag on back of cover.



Tether Anchorage Installation

Most cars have several threaded holes to fit the tether anchorage to.

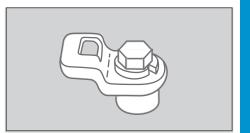
Refer to the vehicle owners handbook for information on the location of these points.

Using the bolt provided attach the anchor fitting to the mounting point behind where the child restraint is to be installed.

See more detailed information on the next page.

The threaded hole for the anchorage bolt may have a plastic cover over it





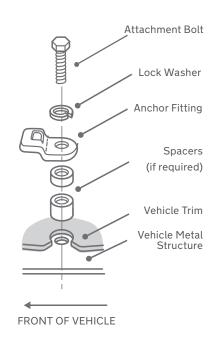
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If the car is fitted with a child restraint anchorage point:

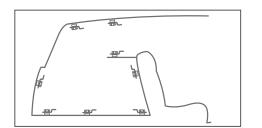
Locate the upper anchorage point behind the rear seating position (consult the vehicle owners handbook for location of the upper anchorage point). Remove the thread plug from the parcel shelf/floor/ roof and install the attachment bolt as shown opposite.

CAUTION:

DO NOT OVERTIGHTEN THE ATTACH-MENT BOLT. MAXIMUM TORQUE 20Nm.



The anchor fitting must be aligned as shown unless stated otherwise in the vehicle owners handbook.



Tether Anchorage Installation

If the car is not fitted with a child restraint upper anchorage point:

For sedans only - drill a 9 mm hole in the parcel shelf on the centre line of the seating position as shown below.

Install the anchor bolt as shown opposite.

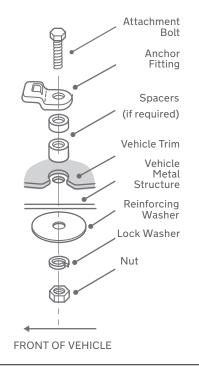
It is recommended that this installation be carried out by a child restraint fitting station or licenced motor mechanic.

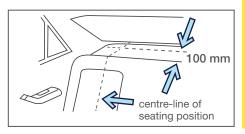
For vehicles other than sedans:

In Australia, consult your nearest child restraint fitting station or traffic authority for vehicle inspection to find the best, correct position for the placement of the upper anchorage point, and for the correct attachment bolt length and use of spacers.

In New Zealand, consult the agent for the vehicle.

If drilling a new hole, select a position on the centre line of the seating position, and no closer than 100 mm from the front edge of the parcel shelf.





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FORWARD FACING INSTALLATION

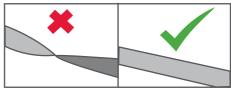
Tether Anchorage Installation

WARNING: CHILD RESTRAINTS MUST NOT BE ATTACHED TO UNSOUND METAL OR WOOD OR SYNTHETIC STRUCTURES. WHEN DRILLING THE 9 MM HOLE DO NOT DRILL THROUGH FUEL LINES, FUEL TANKS, ELECTRICAL WIRING, OR RADIO SPEAKERS. WEBBING STRAPS MUST BE PROTECTED FROM SHARP CORNERS AND EDGES.

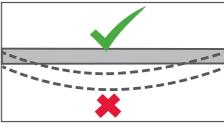
THE ANCHOR FITTING MUST BE USED ONLY AS DESCRIBED ABOVE. IT MUST NOT BE HOOKED ONTO ANY OTHER OBJECT.

Checklist

Web must not be twisted.



Pull web pulled tight.



Store end of web in bag on back of cover.

