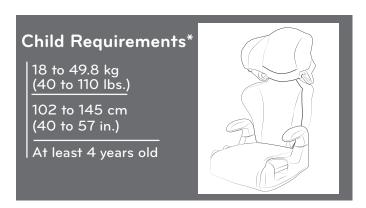


Booster Seat

Owner's Manual

Keep instructions for future use.



* See page **4** for complete requirements.

Para instrucciones en Español, llamar al: 1-800-233-5921

AWARNING!

To reduce the risk of serious injury or death, read this owner's manual prior to installing and using this booster seat. More children are killed every year as passengers in car crashes than by any other type of injury. To reduce the risk of SERIOUS INJURY or DEATH, read

To reduce the risk of **SERIOUS INJURY** or **DEATH**, read this owner's manual and your vehicle owner's manual before installing and using this booster seat. Using a booster seat makes a big difference. By properly using this booster seat and following these instructions, the instructions and warning labels on the product, and the instructions that accompany your vehicle, you will greatly reduce the risk of serious injury or death to the child from a crash. Do not be misled by the commonly used term "safety seat;" no restraint system can prevent all injuries in all crashes. Many properly restrained adults and children are injured in motor vehicle crashes, including relatively minor crashes. A properly used booster seat is the best way to minimize injuries to your child and to increase the chances for your child's survival in most crashes.

FEDERAL STANDARD NO. FMVSS213 -Child Restraint Systems

This child restraint conforms to all applicable Federal motor vehicle safety standards.

CANADIAN REGULATORY NOTICE (Model numbers ending in "C")

This child restraint meets all applicable requirements of Canadian Motor Vehicle Safety Standards CMVSS 213 and 213.2.

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Booster Seat Child Requirements

Warning: Failure to follow these Child Requirements could result in serious injury or death.

This booster seat is designed for use by children in **booster mode** only. To use this booster seat properly, children **MUST** meet the size and age requirements below.

Please review any applicable local, state or provincial laws related to child passenger safety before installing and using this booster seat.

With Backrest

- 18 49.8 kg (40 110 lbs.)
- 102 145 cm (40 57 in.) tall AND the tops of child's ears are below the top of the booster seat headrest.
- Child is at least four years old.



Without Backrest

- 18 49.8 kg (40 110 lbs.)
- 102 145 cm (40 57 in.) tall AND the tops of child's ears are below top of the vehicle headrest.
- Child is at least four years old.



IMPORTANT: Once your child **exceeds** any of the size requirements above, you **MUST** discontinue use of this seat. Your child may be ready for use of the vehicle belt system only at this time.

Airbag Warning



- DO NOT use this booster seat in the front seat of a vehicle equipped with an air bag. Air bags may cause serious injury or death to children 12 and under. If your vehicle has an air bag, refer to your vehicle owner's manual for booster seat installation.
- If the rear seat of your vehicle is equipped with side air bags, refer to the following information for proper usage:

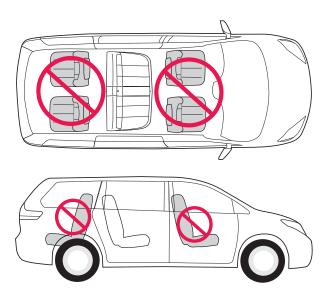
Vehicles built prior to the 2002 model year: DO NOT use this booster seat in a vehicle seating position equipped with a side air bag unless authorized by the vehicle manufacturer.

authorized by the vehicle manufacturer. Model year 2002 and newer vehicles:

Refer to your vehicle owner's manual before placing this booster seat in a seating position equipped with a side air bag.

 DO NOT place any objects between the booster seat and the side air bag, as an expanding air bag may cause the items to strike your child.

The forward facing back seat is the safest place for children 12 and under.



General Warnings

- Failure to follow installation instructions and the instructions and warning labels on product can result in the child striking the vehicle's interior during a sudden stop or crash. Serious injury or death may result. These instructions and the instructions in your vehicle owner's manual must be followed carefully. If there is a conflict between the two, the vehicle owner's manual regarding booster seat installation must be followed.
- NEVER leave child unattended.
- DO NOT use this booster seat if the child's ears are above the back of the booster seat headrest (with backrest) or vehicle seat headrest (backless mode).
- In addition to the height and weight requirements, your child must be at least four years old to use this booster seat.
- NEVER use booster seat without the seat pad.

Location Warnings

- According to statistics, children are safer when properly restrained in a rear seating position than in the front seating position. Children 12 and under should ride in the back seat of the vehicle.
- Use this booster seat only on forward facing vehicle seats. DO NOT use this booster seat with vehicle seats which face the rear or side of the vehicle.
- Use this booster seat only on vehicle seats with backs that lock into place.
- Some booster seats do not fit in all vehicles. If the booster seat cannot be properly installed, **DO NOT** use the booster seat. Consult your vehicle owner's manual, try a different seating location, or call Evenflo for further assistance.

Booster Mode Warnings

- DO NOT use this booster seat rear-facing.
- When using this booster seat, the headrest on the vehicle seat that the child faces should be put in its lowest position. The vehicle seat back that the child faces must be fully padded and free of any hard objects.
- This booster seat is designed ONLY for use by children who weigh between 18 and 49.8 kg (40 and 110 lbs.)
 and whose height is between 102 and 145 cm (40 and 57 in.)
 and who is at least four years old.
- DO NOT use this booster seat if the tops of the child's ears are above:
 - the top of the booster seat headrest (with backrest) **or**
 - the top of the vehicle seat headrest (backless mode).

Additional Warnings

- DO NOT use this booster seat if it has been involved in an accident, is damaged or has broken or missing parts. It must be replaced.
- This booster seat **MUST** be securely belted to the vehicle, even when it is unoccupied. An unsecured booster seat can fly into and injure other occupants in the event of a crash.
- DO NOT attach additional padding, toys, or other devices not made by Evenflo to the booster seat. Items not tested with the booster seat could injure the child.
- In hot, sunny weather cover the seat with a light colored blanket when you leave the vehicle. Always check the seat for hot surfaces before putting a child into the seat.

Seat Belt Warnings

 ALWAYS read your vehicle owner's manual to determine what vehicle belts and retractors are used in your vehicle.



• **DO NOT** use this booster seat in a vehicle with door-mounted seat belts.



 DO NOT use this booster seat in a vehicle with seat belts that automatically move along the vehicle frame when the door is opened. These seat belts will not hold a booster seat properly.



 DO NOT use this booster seat in a vehicle equipped with lap belts that only lock during a sudden stop or crash (Emergency Locking Retractor – ELR). You must use a seating location with a lap/shoulder belt. Check your vehicle owner's manual to see if you have lap belts with ELRs.



 DO NOT use on vehicle seats when both portions of the vehicle belts are positioned forward of the seat crease.



Seat Belt Warnings

- DO NOT use with lap/shoulder belts with two retractors. If the vehicle seat belts are not routed and fastened correctly, the booster seat may not protect the child in a crash.
- **DO NOT** allow the seat belt release button to touch the booster seat. Accidental contact may cause the seat belt to release. If necessary, turn the seat belt release button away from the booster seat or move the booster seat to a different location.
- Failure to adjust the harness or vehicle seat belts snugly around the child may result in the child striking the vehicle's interior during a sudden stop or crash. Serious injury or death may occur.
- Use only the vehicle's lap and shoulder belt system when restraining the child in this booster seat. Never use a booster with only a lap belt, as this could cause serious injuries.



- The shoulder belt MUST be threaded properly.
- The shoulder belt MUST NOT cross the child's neck or fall off the child's shoulder. If you cannot adjust the shoulder belt to properly lay midway between the child's shoulder and neck AND at or above the shoulder, try another seating location or do not use the booster seat.

Seat Belt Warnings

If you have any of these types of vehicle belt systems listed, these are SAFE to use to install your booster seat in the vehicle. Review vehicle owner's manual for specific instructions on booster seat installation.

Lap/Shoulder Belt with Locking Latch Plate

The lap portion of this belt does not loosen once the belt is buckled.

The vehicle belt is tightened by pulling up hard on shoulder belt and feeding the extra webbing into the retractor.



Lap/Shoulder Belt with Sliding Latch Plate with Locking Retractor

The latch plate slides freely along the lap/shoulder belt. Vehicle belts with sliding latch plates are typically locked at the shoulder belt retractor by buckling the belt and pulling all of the webbing out slowly to switch the retractor.



Check vehicle owner's manual for specific instructions. The vehicle belt is tightened after switching the retractor by pulling up on shoulder belt and feeding the webbing into the retractor.

Safe Practices

- Everyone rides buckled up or the vehicle does not go. Make no exceptions for adults or children. If someone unbuckles, stop the vehicle. Being firm and consistent from the start will mean fewer discipline problems as children get older. An unrestrained person can be thrown into and injure other passengers.
- NEVER try to tend to a crying child's needs while driving. Never take a child out of a booster seat for comforting while the vehicle is moving.
- **DO NOT** allow a child to have objects such as lollipops or ice cream on a stick. These objects can injure the child if the vehicle swerves or hits a bump.
- Put sharp or heavy items in the trunk. Anything loose can be deadly in a crash.
- In cold weather, a child may need an extra blanket for warmth. Put the child in the booster seat and cover both the child and the booster seat with a blanket.

Recall Information for U.S. Customers

 Booster seats could be recalled for safety reasons.
 You must register this booster seat to be reached in a recall. Send your name, address, e-mail address if available, and the booster seat's model number and manufacturing date to:

Evenflo Company, Inc. 1801 Commerce Dr. Piqua, OH 45356 or call 1-800-233-5921 or register online at:

www.evenflo.com/registercarseat

 For recall information, call the U.S. Government's Vehicle Safety Hotline at 1-888-327-4236 (TTY:1-800-424-9153), or go to: http://www.NHTSA.gov

Tear off and mail this part

Consumer: Just fill in your name and address and e-mail address.

Your Name

Your Street Address

City State Zip Code

E-mail Address

CHILD RESTRAINT REGISTRATION CARD

Public Notice for Canadian Customers

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or call 1-937-773-3971 or register online at:

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 For recall information, call Transport Canada at 1-800-333-0510 (1-613-993-9851 in Ottawa region). or go to: www.tc.gc.ca

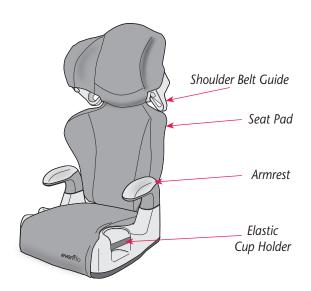
Airplane Usage

When properly installed pursuant to these instructions, this booster seat is certified for use only in passenger and multi-purpose passenger motor vehicles, buses and trucks equipped with lap/shoulder belt systems.

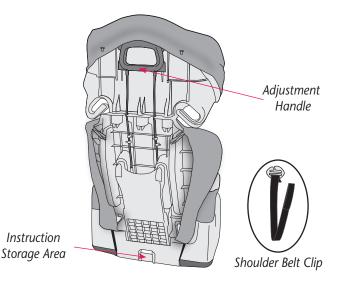
This booster seat is **NOT** certified for aircraft use. A belt-positioning booster seat requires the use of a lap/shoulder belt system, which is not available on aircraft. This page is intentionally blank.

Booster Seat Features

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Using the Elastic Cup Holder

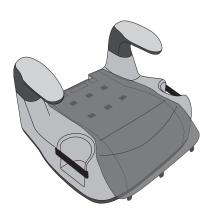
AWARNING! DEATH or SERIOUS INJURY can occur.

- DO NOT use the cup holder to store cans, bottles, or hard containers. Only for use with soft cups.
- DO NOT place any cups that contain hot liquids in the cup holder.
- DO NOT attach additional padding, toys, or other devices to the booster seat. Items not tested with the booster seat could injure the child.



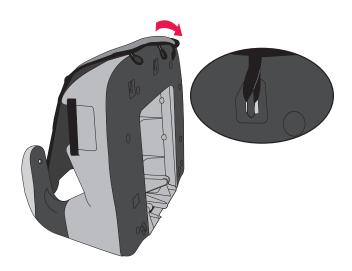
Attaching the Seat Pad

1. Position seat facing up. Wrap the seat pad around the front of the seat. Make sure the seat pad is straight and positioned correctly on the seat.

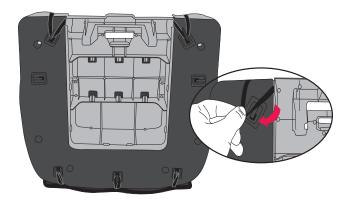


Attaching the Seat Pad (cont.)

2. Connect elastic loops to hooks on the underside of the seat.

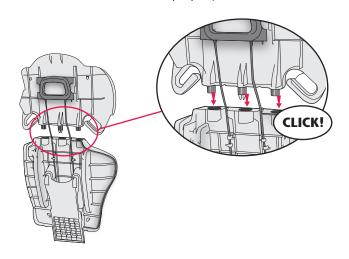


3. Wrap the seat pad around the back of the seat. Make sure the seat pad is straight and positioned correctly on the seat. Connect elastic loops to hooks on the underside of the seat.

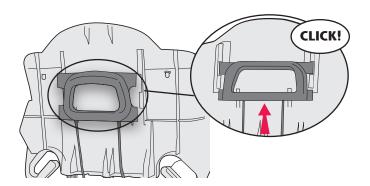


Assembling Backrest

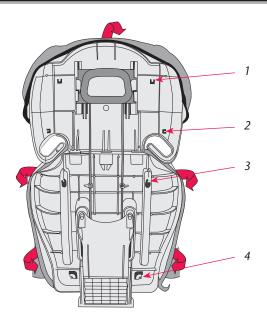
1. Assemble the backrest. Insert three posts on the headrest into the backrest, as shown. Make certain the headrest clicks securely into the backrest. **Note:** This is a one-time assembly and may require additional force to connect properly.



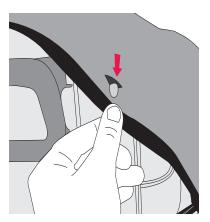
2. Install adjustment handle. Align tabs on adjustment handle with the slots on the back of the headrest. Press adjustment handle against the back of the headrest and slide upward until the tabs click into place.



Attaching the Backrest Pad

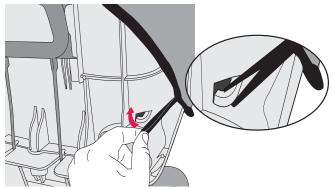


Wrap the backrest pad around the back. Make sure the pad is straight and positioned evenly on the seat.

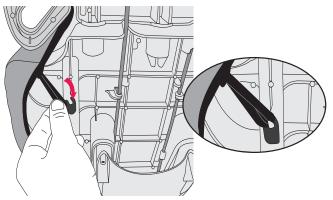


1. Pull the backrest pad down over the top of backrest. Attach the headrest pad to the hooks.

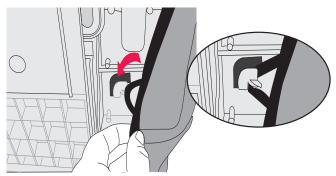
Attaching the Backrest Pad (cont.)



2. Connect elastic loops to hooks on the top of the headrest on both sides.



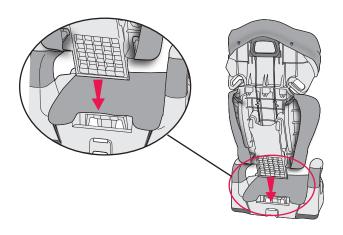
3. Connect elastic loops to hooks on the middle of the backrest on both sides.



4. Pull the pad around the bottom corner and connect elastic loops to hooks.

Assembling Your Booster Seat

- **1.** *Install the backrest*. Slide the backrest assembly into the base. Make certain the backrest locks into place.
- **2. Check your work.** Inspect the booster seat to make sure that the headrest is securely attached to the backrest, the seat pad is hooked into place, and that the backrest assembly is securely locked into the base. Repeat any assembly steps as necessary.



When to Put Your Child in a Booster Seat

Booster seats raise the child up and help to position the vehicle lap and shoulder belt correctly. When the child is **properly restrained** in a booster seat, their risk of injury in all types of crashes is reduced, as the lap and shoulder belt provides excellent restraint of both the upper and lower torsos.

It is important for the child to sit properly within the vehicle seat belts. When the vehicle seat belt is buckled, the lap belt should be low on the hips, just touching the thighs, and the shoulder belt should lie across the middle of the shoulder. If the child leans out or moves the belt behind the back or places it under the arm, it will not provide the intended restraint.

There are a number of things to consider when deciding whether the child is ready to sit in a booster seat, including: the weight and height rating on their current child seat, the child's own weight and height, their maturity, and the seating positions available in your vehicle.

How is a booster seat used?

Using a booster seat is very similar to buckling yourself into the vehicle:

- Read the instruction manuals for both the booster seat and the vehicle before you start.
- Put the booster in the back seat in a location with a lap and shoulder belt. Never use a booster with only a lap belt, as this could cause serious injuries.
- After the child is in the booster, pull the lap and shoulder belt across him/her and buckle it.
- Check that the shoulder belt lies across the middle of the shoulder and that the lap belt is low on the hips, just touching the thighs.

How can you tell if your child is ready to transition to a booster seat?

You should consider using a booster seat if the following conditions apply:

- The child is mature enough to sit in the booster seat and not put the belts under their arm or behind their back.
- The child is approaching the weight or height limit of the booster seat they are currently using.
- If you have a vehicle that does not have a tether anchorage but has lap/shoulder belts available in the back seat, a booster seat may provide better protection than an internal harness seat without the tether.

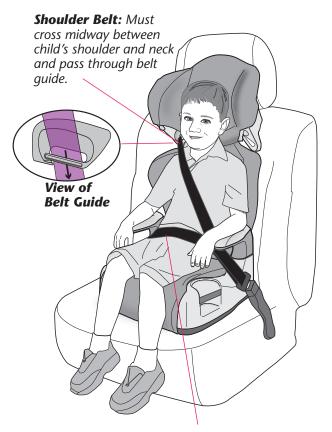
Using Your Booster Seat with the Backrest

Child Requirements

• **Weight:** 18 – 49.8 kg (40 – 110 lbs.)

• **Height:** 102 – 145 cm (40 – 57 in.) **AND** the tops of child's ears are below the top of the booster seat headrest.

• Age: At least four years old



Lap Belt: Stretched low and snug across the child's hips, beneath the armrests, and fastened into the buckle.

Installation Checklist

1. Place the booster seat on the vehicle seat.

2. Set the child in the booster seat.

Make sure the child's back and bottom are flat against the back and bottom surfaces of the booster seat.

3. Adjust the back of the booster, if necessary. Adjust the backrest so the shoulder belt guides are level with the top of the child's shoulders. This will cause the shoulder belt to properly lay midway between the child's shoulder and neck (see Adjusting the Backrest, p. 27).

AWARNING

The shoulder belt **MUST NOT** cross the child's neck **or** fall off the child's shoulder. If you can not adjust the shoulder belt to properly lay midway between the child's shoulder and neck, try another seating location or do not use the booster seat.



4. Secure the child and booster seat to the vehicle seat.

Stretch the lap/shoulder belt across the child and fasten the buckle. Make certain the shoulder belt is threaded through the shoulder belt guide.

5. Check your work.

Make sure the lap belt is stretched low and snug across the child's hips, **beneath the armrests**, and fastened into the buckle (see p. 22). The shoulder belt must cross the child midway between his/her shoulder and neck.

Important

Always secure the booster seat with the vehicle seat belts when not occupied. An unsecured booster seat can fly into and injure other occupants in the event of a crash.

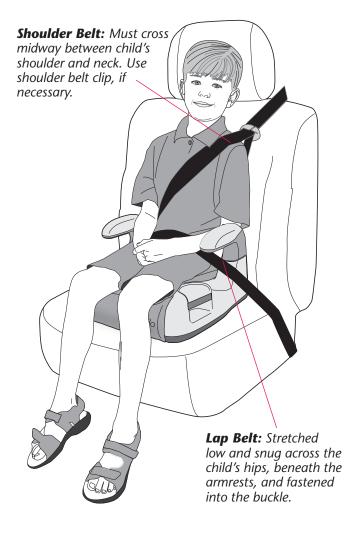
Using Your Booster Seat without the Backrest

Child Requirements

• **Weight:** 18 – 49.8 kg (40 – 110 lbs.)

• **Height:** 102 – 145 cm (40 – 57 in.) tall **AND** the tops of child's ears are below top of the vehicle headrest.

• Age: At least four years old



Installation Checklist

- **1. Remove the backrest from the booster seat.** (See Removing the Backrest, p. 26.)
- 2. Place the booster seat on the vehicle seat.
- 3. Set the child in the booster seat.

Make sure the child's back is flat against the vehicle seat, and the child's bottom is flat against the booster seat.

4. Secure the child and booster seat to the vehicle seat.

Stretch the lap/shoulder belt across the child and fasten the buckle beneath the armrests.

5. Use the shoulder belt clip, if necessary.

If the shoulder belt does not properly lay midway between the child's shoulder and neck, attach and adjust the shoulder belt clip (see Using the Shoulder Belt Clip, p. 28).

AWARNING

The shoulder belt **MUST NOT** cross the child's neck **or** fall off the child's shoulder. If you can not adjust the shoulder belt to properly lay midway between the child's shoulder and neck, try another seating location or do not use the booster seat.



6. Check your work.

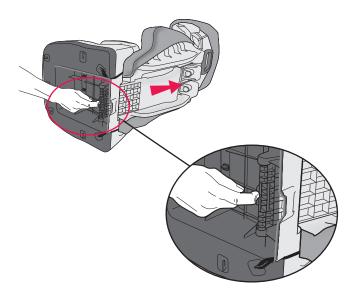
Make sure the lap belt is stretched low and snug across the child's hips, **beneath the armrests**, and fastened into the buckle. The shoulder belt must cross the child midway between his/her shoulder and neck. **Note**: If the vehicle's shoulder belt naturally crosses the child's shoulder, you do not need to use the shoulder belt clip.

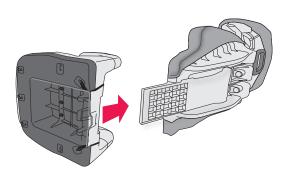
Important

Always secure the booster seat with the vehicle seat belts when not occupied. An unsecured booster seat can fly into and injure other occupants in the event of a crash.

Removing the Backrest

- 1. Lay the booster seat on its side.
- **2.** Squeeze the lever on the bottom of the base and remove the backrest from the base.

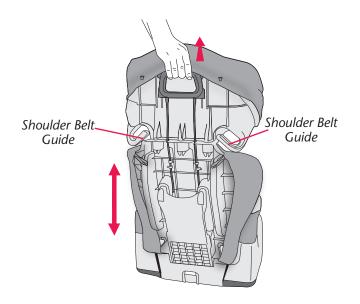




ImportantStore the backrest properly when not in use.

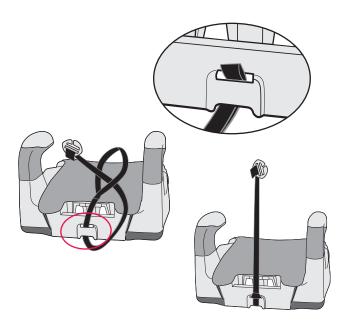
Adjusting the Backrest

To adjust the backrest, pull and hold the adjustment handle then slide the backrest up or down. The backrest is positioned properly when the bottom of the shoulder belt guides are even with the top of child's shoulders.

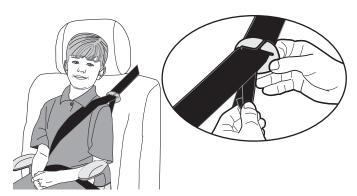


Using the Shoulder Belt Clip

- 1. Thread the looped end of the shoulder belt clip belt through the anchor point on bottom of the booster.
- **2.** Thread the shoulder belt clip through the loop at the end of the belt and pull until tight.



- **3.** Place booster on the vehicle seat and attach the shoulder belt clip to the vehicle shoulder belt.
- 4. Pull the adjustment strap until belt clip is even with the child's shoulder and the vehicle shoulder belt lays across the child's chest midway between his/her shoulder and neck.



Care and Cleaning

- Plastic parts may be wiped clean with mild soap and water and dried with a soft cloth. Do not use abrasive cleaners or solvents.
- Take care not to damage any labels.
- The seat pad can be machine washed separately in cold water, delicate cycle, tumble dry 10 – 15 minutes on low heat.
- NEVER use booster seat without the seat pad.
- To protect the booster seat from damage caused by weather, rodents, and other elements common to garages, the outdoors, and other storage locations, remove the seat pad and thoroughly clean the booster seat and pad prior to storage. Take care to clean in the areas where crumbs and other debris tend to accumulate.

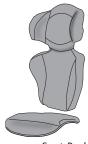
vehicle upholstery, place a towel beneath and behind the booster seat.

Replacement Parts

Not available on all models.

You can order replacement parts on-line at www.evenflo.com or contact Evenflo. When you contact us, please have the product model number and date of manufacture (found on the bottom of the booster seat).





Seat Pad

Proper Disposal of this Booster Seat

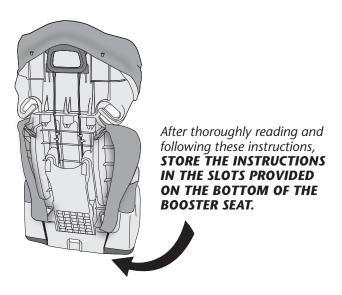
When this booster seat reaches the expiration date found on the date of manufacture label, Evenflo encourages you to dispose of it properly. Most components of this booster seat are recyclable.

- 1. Remove all fabric and padding.
- 2. Remove all screws and disassemble the booster seat.
- 3. Recycle all fabric, padding, plastic, foam and metal parts, if accepted by your local recycling center. Responsibly discard the rest.

If your local recycling center won't accept the padding, you may dispose of it in the landfill.

To prevent injury due to hidden damage, lost instructions, outdated technology, etc., discontinue use of this booster seat after the expiration date on the label or if it has been involved in a crash.

Storing Your Instructions



Model Number: Date of Manufacture:	
For future reference, record the model number of your booster seat AND the date of manufacture below.	

Limited Warranty

For a period of 90 days from the original purchase of this Product, Evenflo warrants to the original end user ("Purchaser") this Product (including any accessories) against defects in material or workmanship. Evenflo's sole obligation under this express limited warranty shall be, at Evenflo's option, to repair or replace any Product that is determined to be defective by Evenflo and determined to be covered by this warranty.

Repair or replacement as provided under this warranty is the exclusive remedy of the Purchaser. Proof of purchase in the form of a receipted invoice or bill of sale evidencing that the Product is within the warranty period must be presented to obtain warranty service. This express limited warranty is extended by Evenflo ONLY to the original Purchaser of the Product and is not assignable or transferable to subsequent purchasers or end users of the Product. For warranty service, contact Evenflo's ParentLink Consumer Resource Center at **www.evenflo.com**.

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