Getting to Know Your

2017 Colorado

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Review this Quick Reference Guide for an overview of some important features in your Chevrolet Colorado. More detailed information can be found in your Owner Manual. Some optional equipment described in this guide may not be included in your vehicle. For easy reference, keep this guide with your Owner Manual in your glove box.
See In Brief in your Owner Manual.

- Door Ajar
- Oil Pressure
- Charging System
- Safety Belt Reminder

- Diesel Exhaust Fluid (diesel models only)
- Glow Plug (diesel models only)

Infotainment System (8-inch* screen shown*)
Climate Controls

Driver’s Heated Seat Buttons
Tow/Haul Mode+/ Diesel Exhaust Brake (if equipped)/Traction Control and StabiliTrak/ Hazard Warning Flashers Buttons
Auxiliary Jack/ USB Port/ Accessory Power Outlet
Passenger’s Heated Seat Buttons
Cargo Box Lamp/ Hill Descent Control+/ Lane Departure Warning+ Buttons

Refer to your Owner Manual to learn about the information being relayed by the lights, gauges and indicators on the instrument cluster.

See In Brief in your Owner Manual.
Remote Keyless Entry Transmitter (Key Fob)

Unlock
Press to unlock the driver’s door. Press again to unlock all doors.

Lock
Press to lock all doors.

Vehicle Locator/Panic Alarm
Press and release to locate your vehicle. Press and hold to activate the alarm.

Remote Vehicle Start
Press and release the Lock button and then press and hold the button until the turn signal lamps flash to start the engine from outside the vehicle. After entering the vehicle, turn on the ignition.

Note: To change the remote lock, unlock, and remote start settings, go to Remote Lock, Unlock, Start in the Vehicle Settings menu.

See Keys, Doors and Windows in your Owner Manual.

Tilt/Telescoping Steering Wheel

- With the vehicle in Park, push down the lever (A) on the left side of the steering column to adjust the position of the steering wheel. The steering wheel can then be moved up or down and in or out. Pull up the lever to lock the steering wheel in place.

See Instruments and Controls in your Owner Manual.

Head Restraints

Head Restraint Adjustment
- To raise a front seat head restraint, pull it up.
- To lower a front seat head restraint, press the button on top of the seatback and push down the head restraint.
- To fold a rear outboard head restraint (Crew Cab models only) for better visibility or when folding the seatback, press the button on the side of the head restraint.

Extended Cab Seat Cushion Extension
The head restraint can be used as a seat cushion extension when using a child seat.

1. To remove the passenger-side rear seat head restraint, press the button on top of the seatback and pull up the head restraint.

2. Insert the head restraint in the holes on the front of the passenger-side rear seat cushion to use as a seat cushion extension. The notch on the post faces outboard.

3. To remove the head restraint, press both buttons by the seat cushion holes.

See Seats and Restraints in your Owner Manual.
Power Seats

A. Seat Cushion Adjustment
Move the front control to move the seat forward or rearward, or to raise or lower the seat.

B. Seatback Adjustment
Lift the lever to recline or raise the seatback.

C. Lumbar Adjustment
Press the control to adjust the lumbar support.

See Seats and Restraints in your Owner Manual.

Lighting

Automatic Headlamp System
Rotate the knob to activate the exterior lights.

Off/On
AUTO Automatic Headlamp System
Automatically activates the Daytime Running Lamps (DRLs) or the headlamps and other exterior lamps depending on outside light conditions.

Parking Lamps
Headlamps
Fog Lamps
Press to turn the fog lamps on or off.

Instrument Panel Lighting

Instrument Panel Brightness
Rotate the thumbwheel to adjust the instrument panel lighting.

Cargo Lamp

Cargo Box Lamp
With the vehicle in Park or Neutral, press to turn the cargo lamp on or off. The button indicator will illuminate when the lamp is on.

See Lighting in your Owner Manual.
Windshield Wipers

Move the lever to activate the wipers.

HI Fast Wipes
LO Slow Wipes
INT Intermittent

Rotate the INT band to adjust the delay between wipes. The wipers activate more often as the band is rotated upward.

OFF

1x Single Wipe

Washer Fluid
Pull the lever toward you to spray washer fluid on the windshield.

See Instruments and Controls in your Owner Manual.

Driver Information Center

The Driver Information Center (DIC) on the instrument cluster displays a variety of vehicle system information and warning messages.

Base DIC Controls

MENU
Press to display the Trip/Fuel menu, Vehicle Information menu or Eco menu.

△ ▽
Rotate the band to scroll through the items of each menu.

SET/CLR
Press the button on the end of the lever to set a menu item or clear a message. Press and hold the button to reset a menu item.

Color DIC Controls

Press to move between display zones.

△ ▽
Press to move through the menus.

✓
Press to open a menu or select/deselect a setting. Press and hold to reset or clear an item.

See Instruments and Controls in your Owner Manual.

Optional equipment
Radio with 4.2-Inch* Color Screen

Refer to your Owner Manual for important safety information about using the infotainment system while driving.

The radio is controlled by using the audio system buttons. The display is not a touch screen.

Setting the Time
1. Use the MENU knob to select Settings on the home page.
2. Use the MENU knob to select Time and Date; then select Time to adjust the clock.
3. Turn the MENU knob to adjust the hours, minutes and AM or PM. Press the knob to go to the next value.

Audio Players
Use a Bluetooth or USB connection to link to a variety of compatible mobile devices. Refer to your Owner Manual for operating instructions.

Storing Favorite Stations
Up to 25 radio stations from all bands (AM, FM or XM*) can be stored, in any order, on up to five pages.
1. Tune in the desired radio station.
2. Press the ◀ or ▶ button to display the page where the station is to be stored.
3. Press and hold one of the five favorite keys until a beep is heard.
4. Repeat the steps to store another favorite station.

Chevrolet MyLink Radio with 7-Inch* or 8-Inch* Color Screen

Refer to your Owner Manual for important safety information about using the infotainment system while driving.

The Chevrolet MyLink radio is controlled by using the audio system buttons and touch screen.

Chevrolet MyLink

Chevrolet MyLink uses a Bluetooth or USB connection to link to a compatible device, such as a smartphone, cell phone, USB flash drive or portable audio player/iPod®. MyLink enables streaming audio through a smartphone and hands-free voice control.

For assistance with the MyLink system, contact Customer Assistance at 1-855-4-SUPPORT (1-855-478-7767) or visit my.chevrolet.com/learn.

See your Infotainment System Owner Manual.
**Chevrolet MyLink Radio with 7-Inch* or 8-Inch* Color Screen**

**Storing Favorites**
Up to 60 radio stations from all bands (AM, FM or XM†), media (song, artist, album, and genre when connected to a USB port), phone contacts and navigation destinations† can be stored in any order.
1. Display the desired radio station, media favorite, navigation destination or contact.
2. Touch the ⏯ Interaction Selector at the bottom of the screen to display the favorite screen buttons.
3. Touch and hold one of the favorite screen buttons until a beep is heard.
4. Repeat the steps to store another favorite item.
   ▶ To change the number of favorites displayed, go to Radio in the Settings menu.

**Natural Voice Recognition**
Control the music source and make phone calls hands-free (after pairing your Bluetooth-enabled phone) using the natural voice recognition system.
1. Press the 🗣 Push to Talk button on the steering wheel.
2. The radio will say “Command please,” followed by a beep.
3. After the beep, say what you want it to do using natural speech.
   • Example commands: “Call Amanda” (using paired phone) or “Play artist [name]” (using media device connected to USB).

**Chevrolet Shop**
In-vehicle apps, connecting to music, news, weather, travel information and more, are available for download to the radio through the SHOP icon on the home screen.
Downloading and using the apps requires internet connectivity and a data plan accessed through the vehicle’s OnStar 4G LTE Wi-Fi hotspot, if active, or a mobile device hotspot.
Visit my.chevrolet.com/learn for more information.

**Apple CarPlay™ and Android Auto™†**
Apple CarPlay or Android Auto capability may be available through a compatible smartphone. If available, a 📡 Projection icon will appear on the home screen of the infotainment display.
1. No app is required for Apple CarPlay. Download the Android Auto app to your phone from the Google Play Store.
2. Connect your Apple iPhone or Android phone by plugging the compatible phone USB cable into a USB data port. Use your device’s factory-provided USB cable. Aftermarket cables may not work.
3. The 📡 Projection icon will change to Apple CarPlay or Android Auto, depending on the phone. Apple CarPlay or Android Auto may launch automatically upon USB connection. If not, touch the Apple CarPlay or Android Auto icon on the home screen.

For more information on using Apple CarPlay or Android Auto, call 1-855-4-SUPPORT (1-855-478-7767) or visit my.chevrolet.com/learn.

*See your Infotainment System Owner Manual.*
**Bluetooth® System**

Refer to your Owner Manual for important safety information about using the Bluetooth system while driving.

Before using a Bluetooth-enabled device in the vehicle, it must be paired with the in-vehicle Bluetooth system. The pairing process is disabled when the vehicle is moving. Not all devices will support all functions. Bluetooth streaming audio is available with the MyLink system. For more information, visit my.chevrolet.com/learn.

**Pair a Phone**

1. To use voice recognition, press the **Push to Talk** button; after the beep, say “Pair phone,” or
   
   Use the MENU knob or the touch screen to select the Phone icon > Phones > Pair Device.

2. Start the pairing process on the phone. Locate Chevrolet MyLink on the phone.

3. Enter the four-digit code that appears on the touch screen into the phone or, if a six-digit code appears on the phone, confirm it on the touch screen.

4. If your phone prompts you to accept the connection or phone book download, select Always Accept and Allow.

   See your Infotainment System Owner Manual.

**Portable Audio Devices**

USB ports are located in several locations in the vehicle to connect portable audio devices.

- An iPod®, iPhone®, MP3 Player, a USB flash drive or a USB mass storage device can be connected to the USB port. Chevrolet MyLink will read the device and build a list of songs. Search for music on-screen or by voice commands.

- Press the MEDIA button to select a portable device as the audio source.

   Note: Connect a mobile device USB cord after starting the vehicle for optimum performance.

   See your Infotainment System Owner Manual.

**OnStar with 4G LTE Wi-Fi Hotspot**

With the vehicle’s built-in Wi-Fi hotspot, up to seven devices (smartphones, tablets and laptops) can be connected to high-speed internet using OnStar’s 4G LTE signal.

- To retrieve the SSID and password for the hotspot, press the OnStar Voice Command button on the rearview mirror, wait for the prompt, and then say “Wi-Fi settings.” The information will be displayed on the screen.

For assistance, press the blue OnStar button or call 1-888-4-ONSTAR (1-888-466-7827).

Note: See onstar.com for a detailed instruction guide, vehicle availability, details, and system limitations.

See your Infotainment System Owner Manual.
Audio Steering Wheel Controls

Push to Talk
Press to answer an incoming call or to use voice recognition with the audio, Bluetooth, navigation or OnStar® system.

End Call/Mute
Press to end or reject a call. Press to mute/unmute the speakers.

SRC Source
Press to select an audio source.

Volume
Press the + or – button to adjust the volume.

Next/Previous Favorite Station
Press the ▶ or ◀ button to go to the next or previous favorite radio station or track.

See your Infotainment System Owner Manual.

Vehicle Personalization

Some vehicle features can be customized using the audio controls or the touch screen buttons. The Settings menus may include Time and Date, Language, Valet Mode, Radio, Vehicle, Bluetooth, Voice, Display, Rear Camera, and Return to Factory Settings.

1. Press the MENU knob to enter the Settings menu; or touch Settings on the home screen.
2. Turn the MENU knob to scroll through the menus, and then press the knob to select the desired menu item; or touch the screen buttons.
3. Select the desired feature and setting. Settings are saved automatically.
4. Press BACK to exit each menu.

See Instruments and Controls in your Owner Manual.

Teen Driver

Teen Driver allows multiple keys to be registered for beginning drivers. When active, the system automatically activates certain safety systems, allows setting of some features, and limits the use of others. A Report Card records vehicle data about driving behavior. When the vehicle is started with a registered key, a Driver Information Center message displays that Teen Driver is active.

To create a Personal Identification Number, register a key, change Teen Driver settings, or access the Report Card, go to Settings > Teen Driver.

See your Infotainment System Owner Manual.

Optional equipment

If equipped with the color Driver Information Center, the Next/Previous Favorite Station buttons (shown) and the Volume buttons are located behind the steering wheel.
Automatic Operation

1. Press AUTO.
2. Set the temperature.

The system automatically controls the fan speed, air delivery, air conditioning and recirculation to reach the set temperature. Allow time for the system to reach the desired temperature. If the air delivery mode or fan speed is manually adjusted, automatic operation is turned off.

Recirculation Mode

Press Recirculation Mode to quickly cool the air inside the vehicle or prevent outside odors from entering the vehicle.

*Note: When the Recirculation Mode is used without air conditioning, the air humidity increases and the windows may fog.*

See Climate Controls in your Owner Manual.
Cruise Control

Setting Cruise Control
1. Press the On/Off button. The Cruise Control symbol will illuminate in white on the instrument cluster.
2. When traveling at the desired speed, press the SET– button to set the speed. The symbol will illuminate in green on the instrument cluster.

Adjusting Cruise Control

RES+ Resume/Accelerate
Press to resume a set speed.
When the system is active, press once to increase speed 1 mph; press and hold to continue increasing speed.

SET– Set/Coast
When the system is active, press once to decrease speed 1 mph; press and hold to continue decreasing the speed.

Cancel
Press to cancel the cruise control without erasing the set speed from memory.
Pressing the brake pedal also will cancel the cruise control.
The cruise control set speed is erased when cruise control or the vehicle ignition is turned off.

See Driving and Operating in your Owner Manual.

Automatic Transmission

Driver Shift Control
Driver Shift Control allows the driver to select the range of gears desired for the current driving conditions.
1. Move the shift lever to the L (Manual) position.
2. Press the + (plus) or – (minus) button on the shift lever to select a lower or higher gear. An L and the current gear will be displayed on the Driver Information Center.

The transmission will be limited to the gear selected and lower gears. If vehicle speed is too high or too low for the requested gear, the shift will not occur.

Tow/Haul Mode
The Tow/Haul Mode adjusts the transmission shifts to reduce shift cycling, such as when towing or hauling heavy loads or driving on steep grades.
- Press the Tow/Haul Mode button on the center of the instrument panel to turn the system on or off.

See Driving and Operating in your Owner Manual.
**Driver Assistance Systems**

The driver assistance systems use advanced technologies to help avoid collisions by providing visual and audible alerts under some imminent collision conditions.

**Forward Collision Alert** – The 🚗 Vehicle Ahead indicator will illuminate in green on the instrument cluster when a vehicle is detected and will illuminate in amber when following a vehicle ahead too closely.

If your vehicle approaches another vehicle too rapidly, a red alert will flash on the windshield and rapid beeps will sound.

- Press the 🚗 Collision Alert button on the left side of the steering wheel to set the alert timing to Far, Medium, Near, or Off. The setting is displayed on the Driver Information Center.

**Lane Departure Warning** – When crossing a detected lane marking, without using a turn signal, the system flashes an amber 🚗 indicator on the instrument cluster and beeps sound on the left or right side of the vehicle.

- Press the 🚗 Lane Departure Warning button on the center of the instrument panel to turn the system on or off.

**Rear Vision Camera** – Provides a view directly behind the vehicle when backing up.

- To turn the Rear Vision Camera Guidelines on or off, go to Settings > Rear Camera.

*See Driving and Operating in your Owner Manual.*

**Traction Control and StabiliTrak Systems**

The traction control system limits wheelspin and the StabiliTrak® stability control system assists with directional control of the vehicle in difficult driving conditions. Both systems turn on automatically every time the vehicle is started.

Turn off traction control if the vehicle is stuck and rocking the vehicle is required.

- Press the 🚗 Traction Control/StabiliTrak Off button on the center of the instrument panel to turn traction control off or back on. The 🚗 Traction Control Off light will illuminate on the instrument cluster when the system is off.

*See Driving and Operating in your Owner Manual.*

**Integrated Trailer Brake Control (ITBC)**

The ITBC system can be used to adjust the amount of power output, or Trailer Gain, available to the trailer brakes. The control panel is located on the left side of the instrument panel. ITBC information is displayed on the Driver Information Center.

- Adjust the Trailer Gain by pressing the +/- adjustment buttons on the control panel.
- Squeeze the levers together on the control panel (left lever does not move) to manually apply the trailer brakes.

*See Driving and Operating in your Owner Manual.*
The Low Tire Pressure warning light on the instrument cluster illuminates when one or more of the vehicle’s tires is significantly underinflated. Fill the tires to the proper tire pressures listed on the Tire and Loading Information label, located below the driver’s door latch. Current tire pressures can be viewed on the Driver Information Center. See Vehicle Care in your Owner Manual.

The engine exhaust brake enhances the vehicle brake system by using engine braking and automatically downshifting the transmission, depending on the length of time the brakes are applied, to help slow the vehicle on downhill grades.

Press the Diesel Exhaust Brake button on the center of the instrument panel to turn the system on or off. See your Duramax Diesel Owner Manual.

Use the electronic four-wheel drive transfer case knob on the left side of the instrument panel to shift into and out of four-wheel drive. The indicator light on the knob flashes while the transfer case shifts and remains on when the shift is complete.

2† Two-Wheel Drive High – Use for most streets and highways. Shift into this mode at any speed except when shifting from 4‡.

AUTO Auto Four-Wheel Drive High – Use when traction conditions vary. Shift into this mode at any speed except when shifting from 4‡.

4† Four-Wheel Drive High – Use when extra traction is needed or in most off-road driving. Shift into this mode at any speed up to 75 mph except when shifting from 4‡.

4‡ Four-Wheel Drive Low – Use when driving off-road in deep sand, mud or snow, or on steep hills. Shift into or out of this mode when the vehicle is stopped or moving less than 3 mph with the transmission in Neutral. Shift the transmission into gear when the indicator light stops flashing.

N Neutral – Use when towing the vehicle. See Driving and Operating in your Owner Manual.

Hill Descent Control

Hill Descent Control sets and maintains vehicle speed from 3–19 mph while descending a steep incline in a forward or reverse gear.

1. Press the Hill Descent Control button on the center of the instrument panel. Vehicle speed must be below 37 mph to enable the system. The Hill Descent Control symbol will illuminate on the instrument cluster.

2. Increase or decrease speed by applying the accelerator or brake pedal. The adjusted speed becomes the new set speed. The symbol flashes when the system is actively applying the brakes to maintain vehicle speed. See Driving and Operating in your Owner Manual.
As the owner of a new Chevrolet, you are automatically enrolled in the Chevrolet Roadside Assistance program for up to 5 years/60,000 miles, whichever occurs first, at no expense to you. Chevrolet’s Roadside Assistance toll-free number is staffed by a team of trained advisors who are available 24 hours a day, 365 days a year, to contact a service provider for light services (fuel delivery, jump-starts, flat tire and lock-outs) or make arrangements to tow your vehicle to the nearest Chevrolet dealer for any repairs.

Roadside Assistance and OnStar®

If you require roadside service and have a current OnStar subscription, press the OnStar button and the vehicle will send your current GPS location to an OnStar Advisor who will speak to you, assess your problem, contact Roadside Assistance and relay your exact location so you will get the help you need.

myChevrolet Mobile App

The myChevrolet mobile app connects owners with a compatible mobile device to a variety of vehicle information and services, such as a searchable owner manual, real-time fuel information, OnStar Vehicle Diagnostic information and Roadside Assistance.

The myChevrolet mobile app also enables users to send destinations to the navigation system (if equipped), send remote commands — including remotely starting/stopping the vehicle and locking/unlocking doors — and locate the vehicle on a map (on properly equipped vehicles).

Download the mobile apps from your compatible mobile device’s app store.

To learn more about OnStar services, press the blue OnStar button, visit onstar.com, call 1-888-4-ONSTAR (1-888-466-7827), or refer to your owner manual.

Chevrolet Owner Center

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