



## WHAT'S IN YOUR CAR THIS WINTER?

Now that the nights are drawing in and the days are getting colder, are you prepared if you get stuck?

We have prepared a little check list of the things we recommend you keep in your car.

- Bottle of water
- Blanket
- Gloves and a woolly hat
- Shovel
- Torch
- De-icer and scraper, cloth to clean lights
- Adequate foot wear
- Enough fuel for the journey plus extra
- Warning triangle
- Mobile phone – with enough credit and charge
- Locking wheel nut, wheel brace and jack

We also recommend the following vehicle checks:

- Make sure your lights are clean
- Check all your engine levels
- Check your tyre pressures including the spare
- Most importantly check your anti-freeze

Why is anti-freeze so important.

During the colder winter months the wind chill factor that runs through your engine can be as cold as -30°C. Hence if your engine coolant does not have enough anti-freeze in it, it may freeze and damage your engine, resulting in a rather hefty bill. Here at T.W. Tyres and Autocentre we can check your anti-freeze free of charge. However, if it does need topping up then there is a charge. If in doubt call us or pop in.

Yet again please be aware that this is only our opinion. Please write in with your questions to T.W. Tyres, 11 Paynes Lane, Rugby, CV21 2UH, or email us at [info@twtyres.com](mailto:info@twtyres.com). We are open Monday to Friday 8am till 5.30pm and Saturday is 8am till 3pm. For tyres, exhausts, batteries and motorbike enquiries please call us on 542292. For servicing, repairs and car MOTs you can contact us on 544339.