



# GETTING TO KNOW YOUR **2018 CANYON**



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Review this Quick Reference Guide for an overview of some important features in your GMC Canyon. Some optional equipment described in this guide may not be included in your vehicle. More information can be found in your Owner's Manual and at [my.gmc.com/learn](http://my.gmc.com/learn). For easy reference, keep this guide with your Owner's Manual in your glove box.

Certain restrictions, precautions, and safety procedures apply to your vehicle.  
Please read your Owner's Manual for complete instructions.



# INSTRUMENT PANEL

Cruise Control/  
Forward Collision Alert  
Buttons◆

Turn Signal  
Lever

Driver  
Information  
Center

Driver Information Center  
Controls/Voice Recognition  
Buttons◆

Windshield  
Wipers Lever



Power Mirror  
Control◆/Window  
Switches

Instrument Panel  
Illumination Control/  
Exterior Lamp Control

4WD Control◆

Tilt/Telescoping◆  
Steering Wheel  
Lever

## Symbols



Low Fuel



Traction Control Off



Lane Departure  
Warning

**BRAKE** Brake System



Cruise Control Set



StabiliTrak Active



StabiliTrak Off



Security



Tow/Haul Mode



Forward Collision Alert



Lights On Reminder



Airbag Readiness



Check Engine



Antilock Brake System

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

Gasoline model shown



Door Ajar



Oil Pressure



Charging System



Safety Belt Reminder



Diesel Exhaust Fluid  
(diesel models only)



Glow Plug  
(diesel models only)

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

See In Brief in your Owner's Manual.

♦ Optional equipment \*Screen measured diagonally

## 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. The turn signal lamps will flash and the horn will sound.

Press and hold to activate the alarm. The turn signal lamps will flash and the horn will sound for 30 seconds or until the ignition is turned on.



### **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.

- During a remote start, the engine will run for 10 minutes.
- Press and hold the  button until the parking lamps turn off to cancel a remote start.

### **Remote Start Auto Heated Seats**

Select the Remote Start Auto Heat Seats option in the Vehicle Settings to have the heated seats turn on during a remote start. The seat button indicators do not illuminate and the temperature performance of the unoccupied seats may be reduced during a remote start. The heated seats turn off when the ignition is turned on.

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

See Keys, Doors and Windows in your Owner's 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's 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's 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's 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's 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's 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.

### Info Pages (Color DIC)

The info pages displayed under the Info menu can be customized.

1. Use the controls to display the Options menu. Press ✓.
2. Scroll to Info Pages. Press ▷ to view the items.
3. Use the controls to move through the items.
4. Press ✓ to select/deselect an item to display.



Color DIC shown



Base DIC Controls



Color DIC Controls

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## GMC INFOTAINMENT SYSTEM WITH 7-INCH\* OR 8-INCH\*\* COLOR SCREEN

Refer to your Owner's Manual for important information about using the infotainment system while driving.  
The GMC Infotainment System is controlled by using the audio system buttons and touch screen.



8-inch screen shown

The GMC Infotainment System 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®, and enables streaming audio through a smartphone and hands-free voice control.

For assistance with the infotainment system, contact Customer Assistance at 1-855-4-SUPPORT (1-855-478-7767) or visit [my.gmc.com/learn](http://my.gmc.com/learn).



## GMC INFOTAINMENT SYSTEM WITH 7-INCH\* OR 8-INCH\*<sup>◆</sup> COLOR SCREEN

### Storing Favorites

Up to 60 radio stations from all bands (AM, FM or XM<sup>◆</sup>), media (song, artist, album, and genre when connected to a USB port), phone contacts and navigation destinations<sup>◆</sup> 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 Settings > Radio.

### 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 play a prompt 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).

### GMC 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 page.

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.

### 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 page 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 compatible phone by plugging the 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 page.

For more information, call 1-855-4-SUPPORT (1-855-478-7767) or visit [my.gmc.com/learn](http://my.gmc.com/learn).

See your Infotainment System Manual.

## BLUETOOTH® SYSTEM

Refer to your Owner's Manual for important 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. For more information, visit [my.gmc.com/learn](http://my.gmc.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. From your phone's Bluetooth settings, select the name shown on the infotainment screen.
3. Confirm the codes that appear on the infotainment screen and the phone.
4. When pairing is complete, the phone screen is displayed. Your phone book may be downloaded depending on the phone.

See your Infotainment System 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. GMC Infotainment System♦ 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 Manual.

## ONSTAR WITH 4G LTE WI-FI HOTSPOT♦

With the vehicle's built-in Wi-Fi hotspot, up to 7 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](http://onstar.com) for a detailed instruction guide, vehicle availability, details, and system limitations.

See your Infotainment System 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 decline a call.  
Press to mute/unmute the speakers.

### + - Volume

(behind right side of steering wheel if equipped with color DIC)

Press the + or - button to adjust the volume.

### Next/Previous Favorite Station

(behind left side of steering wheel if equipped with color DIC)

Press the  button or  button to go to the next or previous favorite radio station or track.



See your Infotainment System 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 Manual.

## WIRELESS CHARGING

The Wireless Charging system for mobile devices is located in front of the center console. To check mobile device compatibility, visit [my.gmc.com/learn](http://my.gmc.com/learn). See your phone retailer for details on required phone accessories.

1. The vehicle must be on or Retained Accessory Power must be active.
2. Remove all objects from the charging pad.
3. Place the device, face up, on the  symbol on the pad.
4. The indicator light next to the charging pad will turn green when charging. If not charging, remove the device for 3 seconds, and rotate it 180 degrees.

See Instruments and Controls in your Owner's Manual.

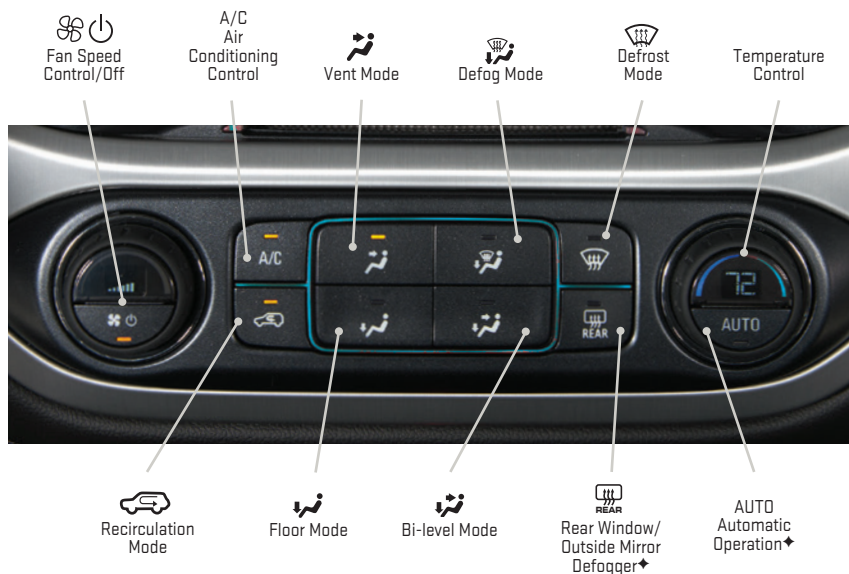
## VEHICLE PERSONALIZATION

Some vehicle features can be customized using the audio controls or the touch screen buttons<sup>◆</sup>. 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 page<sup>◆</sup>.
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<sup>◆</sup>.
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's Manual.

## CLIMATE CONTROLS



### Automatic Operation<sup>◆</sup>

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 functions are manually adjusted, automatic operation is turned off.

See Climate Controls in your Owner's 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 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 set speed is erased when cruise control or the vehicle ignition is turned off.

See Driving and Operating in your Owner's 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's Manual.



## DRIVER ASSISTANCE SYSTEMS

**Forward Collision Alert** ♦ – The  Vehicle Ahead indicator is green on the instrument cluster when a vehicle is detected and is amber when following a vehicle ahead too closely. When approaching a vehicle directly ahead too rapidly, a red alert flashes on the windshield and rapid beeps 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 in that direction, 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** – When the vehicle is in Reverse, a view of the area behind the vehicle displays on the infotainment system. Vehicle speed must be below 5 mph.

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

See Driving and Operating in your Owner's Manual.

## TRACTION CONTROL AND STABILITRAK SYSTEMS

The traction control system limits wheelspin and the StabiliTrak<sup>®</sup> 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's 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's 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's Manual.

## FOUR-WHEEL DRIVE◆

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. The current four-wheel drive status is displayed on the Driver Information Center.

**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's Manual.

## DIESEL EXHAUST BRAKE (DIESEL MODELS ONLY)

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's Manual.

## TIRE PRESSURE MONITOR

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.**

## ROADSIDE ASSISTANCE

1-888-881-3302

TTY Users: 1-888-889-2438

As the owner of a new GMC, you are automatically enrolled in the GMC Roadside Assistance program for up to 5 years/60,000 miles, whichever occurs first, at no expense to you. GMC'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 GMC dealer for any repairs.

### Roadside Assistance and OnStar®

If you require roadside service and have a current OnStar service plan, 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.

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's Manual.

## MYGMC MOBILE APP



The myGMC mobile app connects owners with a compatible mobile device to a variety of vehicle information and services, such as a searchable Owner's Manual, real-time fuel information, OnStar Vehicle Diagnostic information and Roadside Assistance.

The myGMC 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 locating the vehicle on a map (on properly equipped vehicles).

Download the mobile app from your compatible mobile device's app store.

## GMC OWNER CENTER

Get to know your vehicle inside and out with the GMC Owner Center. Check out personalized information, including an online Owner's Manual and helpful how-to videos, track your service history and warranty status, review your current OnStar Vehicle Diagnostics report (active OnStar account required) and more. Create an account today at **my.gmc.com**.

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