Overlanding 101:
The Gear You Need

Vehicle required: Most cars, trucks, vans, SUVs, or motorized vehicles can be used for overlanding. A four-wheel-drive or all-wheel-drive vehicle isn't required unless you plan to tackle aggressive terrain.

Required gear categories: You need a vehicle, food and water, a cooler, a stove, cooking and eating utensils, a power station, a shelter and sleep system, a shower and bathroom supplies, a first aid kit, recovery gear, and storage/organizational equipment.

Camping: Remember, you may not have access to clean drinking water, bathrooms, and electric hookups when camping in overlanding areas, so bring everything you need with you.

Gear Checklist

- ☐ Water storage
- ☐ Sufficient food
- ☐ Cooler
- ☐ Power station
- ☐ Stove and fuel
- ☐ Pots, pans, and cooking utensils
- ☐ Dining utensils and serving ware
- ☐ Table or kitchen slide-out
- ☐ Chairs
- ☐ Tent (if not sleeping in your vehicle or a trailer)
- ☐ Sleeping bag, sleeping pad or mattress, and pillow
- ☐ Portable shower or body cleaning wipes
- ☐ Portable toilet or cat hole digging tools plus toilet paper
- ☐ First aid kit
- ☐ Vehicle recovery gear (jacks, fluids, traction boards, snow chains, etc.)
- ☐ Pet health and safety supplies (if traveling with a pet)
- ☐ Storage solutions (tubs, bins, cargo boxes, etc.)

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Shop the Gear List

Dometic CFX45 cooler

BioLite BaseCharge 1500 power station (and accompanying solar panel if desired)

GSI Pinnacle Pro two-burner stove

Sea to Summit collapsible servingware

Dometic water jug

RinseKit portable shower or Allez or Dude Shower body wipes

Thetford portable toilet or PACT bathroom kit

MyFAK first aid kit

Yakima EXO gear system

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