



Clean Vehicle Checklist

Before you go car shopping, here is some helpful information to help you get started.
Please use the checklist below to see if your soon-to-be vehicle qualifies.

To learn more about clean vehicle technology, you can re-visit our educational materials here:
www.cleanvehiclegrants.org/vehicles.

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Vehicle must be HEV, PHEV, BEV, or FCEV.	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
Vehicle meets the minimum combined MPG ratings.	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
Must be 8 model years old or newer. (e.g. Year 2019 = 2012 or newer)	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
Less than 75,000 original miles.	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
No modifications to chassis or emission control systems.	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
Clean Title. (Cannot be salvaged).	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
No Open Recalls. (Open recalls must show proof of repairs)	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
Able to provide vehicle inspection by licensed automotive mechanic ¹ .	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
Able to provide vehicle history report.	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>

If you answered **Yes** to all of the above, then you are
one step closer to getting a clean vehicle!

Fuel Economy Requirements Chart*	
Vehicle Year	Minimum Combined MPG Rating †
2011	25
2012	28
2013	29
2014	30
2015	31
2016	32
2017	37
2018	38
2019	40
2020	42
2021	45

Key Words	
HEV	Hybrid Electric Vehicle
PHEV	Plug-in Hybrid Electric Vehicles
BEV [‡]	Battery Electric Vehicles [‡]
FCEV	Fuel Cell Electric Vehicles
ZEV	Zero Emissions Vehicle
EVSE	Electric Vehicle Supply Equipment (Charging Stations)

¹ Licenses can be checked at the Bureau of Automotive Repair
<https://search.dca.ca.gov/>

* You can look up the Fuel Economy of any vehicle at fuelconomy.gov

† The weighted average between highway mpg (45%) and city mpg (55%)

‡ For BEVs, additional financial assistance may also be provided for the purchase and installation of an EVSE (Charging Station)