Laundry essentials



Stock a small laundry kit in your van.
Grab it for the laundromat or campground.

Tap to tick and save. Print if you prefer.

☐ Check before you go

Check opening hours and whether machines take coins, card or an app.
Find out if detergent is included or if you need to bring your own.

01 Keep in the van

A compact kit for wash days.

- ☐ Washable bag for dirty clothes
- ☐ Laundry sheets or detergent
- ☐ Scoop or cap for loose detergent
- ☐ Stain remover, if needed
- ☐ Mesh bag for delicates
- ☐ Short clothesline and a few pegs
- ☐ Separate bag for clean clothes

02 On laundry day

What to pack and check at the laundromat.

- ☐ Dirty clothes, towels or bedding
- ☐ Laundry sheets or detergent, if needed
- ☐ Coins, card or phone for payment
- ☐ Clean bag for the trip back
- ☐ Empty pockets and check care labels
- ☐ Wool dryer balls, if using the dryer
- ☐ Set a timer for the wash or dry cycle
- ☐ Check both drums before leaving

My space-saving laundry picks

I use laundry sheets: they're lightweight, pack flat and are already measured.
When I need the dryer, I use reusable wool dryer balls if the laundromat allows them.
Use a soft bag that folds flat, and air-dry when there's a suitable spot.

MY EXTRAS

Back at the van

Unpack damp laundry straight away. Hang it with airflow rather than leaving it in a bag.
Make sure everything is fully dry before putting it away.