



RV Floor Plan Evaluation Checklist

A practical worksheet for comparing RV layouts while watching RVBlogger reviews, walking through a dealership, or shopping at an RV show.

RV Model: _____	RV Type: _____
Dealer / Show / Video: _____	Date: _____
Length: _____	GVWR: _____ Sleeps: _____

How to use this checklist

Use this sheet to slow down and evaluate how the RV will actually camp, not just how it looks when it is staged. You can watch an RVBlogger RV review at <https://www.youtube.com/c/RVBlogger> and practice before hitting a dealership or RV show.

For each section, check what works, write quick notes, and mark any deal breakers. The best floor plan is not the fanciest one - it is the one that fits your real camping life.

Quick Score	Rating	Deal Breaker?
First impression after pretending to camp	1 2 3 4 5	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Would this layout still work after 5 camping trips?	1 2 3 4 5	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Start with your real camping life

Who will camp most often? _____
How many nights per trip? Weekend / 1 week / longer trips / extended travel
Pets coming along? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes: _____
How often will you cook inside? <input type="checkbox"/> Rarely <input type="checkbox"/> Sometimes <input type="checkbox"/> Most meals
Will you use your own bathroom every trip? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Only when needed
Biggest must-have: _____ Biggest concern: _____

1. Towability or drivability

	Floor Plan Detail To Check	Pass?	Notes
<input type="checkbox"/>	Trailer is within real-world tow vehicle limits, not just dry weight.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Payload, tongue weight, GVWR, and GCWR have been checked.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Motorhome feels manageable to drive, park, fuel, and store.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
<input type="checkbox"/>	RV length works for the campgrounds and storage location you plan to use.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	

2. Sleeping space

	Floor Plan Detail To Check	Pass?	Notes
<input type="checkbox"/>	Every regular camper has a real place to sleep.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
<input type="checkbox"/>	You are not depending on a dinette bed every night.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Main bed is easy to get in and out of.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
<input type="checkbox"/>	No one has to climb over their partner for a 2:00 a.m. bathroom trip.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Bunks or guest beds are large enough for the people using them.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	

3. Bathroom usability

	Floor Plan Detail To Check	Pass?	Notes
<input type="checkbox"/>	You can sit on the toilet comfortably with the door closed.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
<input type="checkbox"/>	You can stand in the shower and move your elbows.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Shower is not too narrow, especially if it is a 2x2 corner shower.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Wet bath tradeoff is acceptable, including wiping it down after showers.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
<input type="checkbox"/>	There is storage for towels, toiletries, and toilet paper.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	

4. Kitchen and food storage

	Floor Plan Detail To Check	Pass?	Notes
<input type="checkbox"/>	Counter space is usable for real meal prep.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Fridge size fits how you camp.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Fridge is accessible on travel days, if that matters to you.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pantry space is enough for your typical trip length.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Drawers and cabinets can handle cookware, utensils, coffee gear, and dishes.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	

5. Living area comfort

	Floor Plan Detail To Check	Pass?	Notes
<input type="checkbox"/>	Seating is comfortable, not just good-looking.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Everyone can sit inside on a rainy day.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
<input type="checkbox"/>	TV location makes sense from the actual seats.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Two people can move around without constantly bumping into each other.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
<input type="checkbox"/>	There is a realistic place for pets, shoes, jackets, and daily clutter.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	

6. Interior and exterior storage

	Floor Plan Detail To Check	Pass?	Notes
<input type="checkbox"/>	Interior storage works for clothes, bedding, food, medicine, and personal items.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Exterior storage works for chairs, rug, grill, fire pit, leveling blocks, hoses, cords, tools, and toys.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Heavy gear can be stored safely and accessed easily.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
<input type="checkbox"/>	There is a plan for dirty laundry, shoes, and wet gear.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	

7. Travel-day access

	Floor Plan Detail To Check	Pass?	Notes
<input type="checkbox"/>	Bathroom is accessible with slides closed.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Refrigerator is accessible during fuel, lunch, or rest stops.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Bed or bedroom can be reached if you need a quick stop.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
<input type="checkbox"/>	You can walk through the RV with the slides closed.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
<input type="checkbox"/>	The floor plan still works when you are not fully set up at camp.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	

8. Slides, AC, battery, and simplicity

	Floor Plan Detail To Check	Pass?	Notes
<input type="checkbox"/>	Slides improve the way you camp, not just the showroom feel.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
<input type="checkbox"/>	You are comfortable with slide maintenance and access limits when closed.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
<input type="checkbox"/>	One AC is enough, or the RV has/preps for a second AC if needed.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Battery capacity fits your camping style, especially without hookups.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Controls, electronics, and setup feel beginner-friendly.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	

The Pretend Camping Test

Before you fall in love with the RV, act like you already own it. Spend 10-15 minutes pretending you are camping, packing, cooking, sleeping, and stopping on a travel day.

	Floor Plan Detail To Check	Pass?	Notes
■	Sit at the dinette or main seating for a few minutes.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
■	Lie on the main bed and check how easy it is to get in and out.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
■	Stand in the shower with the door closed.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
■	Pretend to cook a simple meal and look for counter space problems.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
■	Open the fridge, pantry, and cabinets like you are unpacking groceries.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
■	Pretend it is raining and everyone is inside at the same time.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
■	Pretend kids, grandkids, or guests are getting ready for bed.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
■	Check whether slides block the bathroom, fridge, bed, or walkway.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
■	Walk outside and decide where every major piece of camping gear will go.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
■	Ask yourself: will this RV make camping easier or more complicated?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	

Deal breakers and final notes

Top 3 things we liked	Top 3 concerns or deal breakers
1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____	1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____
Questions to ask the dealer or research later	Final decision
1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____ 4. _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Strong contender <input type="checkbox"/> Maybe, but compare others <input type="checkbox"/> Not the right floor plan Overall score: 1 2 3 4 5

Reminder: A good RV floor plan should work after the excitement wears off - when it is raining, when the kids are tired, when the slides are closed, and when someone needs the bathroom at 2:00 a.m.

Watch RVBlogger floor plan and livability reviews at <https://www.youtube.com/c/RVBlogger>