2018-2022 Audi TT RS - Cabin Air Filter Replacement

2018-2022 Audi TT RS | Easy | 15-25 minutes | $17 DIY

TOOLS
T20 or T25 Torx driver (depending on trim screws) Trim removal tool Dust mask

PARTS
Cabin/pollen filter for 8S TT $17.00

STEPS

1. **Locate the filter in the passenger footwell - Sit in the passenger seat and look into the** footwell beneath the glovebox for the felt trim panel. On the 8S TT (including TT RS) the cabin filter lives here, not under the hood.
2. **Remove the footwell trim panel - Remove the fasteners holding the felt trim panel under** the glovebox and lower the panel. The panel is flexible felt - lower it gently once the screws are out. Behind it you will see the rectangular plastic filter access door.
3. **Open the filter access door - Release the clips or screws on the filter access door and** open it. The door swings down or pulls away to reveal the edge of the old pollen filter.
4. **Remove and inspect the old filter - Slide the old filter straight out of the housing and** hold it up to the light - a clogged filter looks gray and packed with debris. Compare its size to the new filter to confirm you have the correct part.
5. **Install the new cabin filter - Slide the new filter into the housing with the airflow** arrows pointing in the same direction as the old one. It should glide in without resistance; if it binds, pull it back and realign it rather than forcing it.
6. **Refit the trim panel and check it is secure - Close the access door until it clips shut,** then reinstall the felt trim panel and its fasteners. Make sure the panel is secure and nothing hangs down into the footwell.

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