2006-2011 Buick Lucerne - 12V Battery Replacement

2006-2011 Buick Lucerne | Easy | 30-90 minutes | $180 DIY

TOOLS

10 mm wrench or socket, ratchet, and short extension Battery terminal brush and electrical-safe cleaner Memory saver only if the vehicle procedure permits it Gloves, eye protection, and a small flashlight

PARTS

Replacement 12-volt battery for 2006-2011 Buick Lucerne; verify group size, CCA, terminal layout, and VIN fitment $180.00 Anti-corrosion terminal protectant or felt washers (optional) $8.00

STEPS

1. **Verify battery fitment and charging symptoms - Your 2006-2011 Lucerne takes a Group 48** (H6) on 2008-2011, or Group 79 side-post on 2006-2007 battery (top-post on 2008-2011, side-post on 2006-2007, positive on the top right on 2008-2011 (verify against your old battery), about...
2. **Make the vehicle safe - Take the key or fob well away from the car so the modules can go** to sleep. Access means removing the rear seat cushion: pull the front edge of the cushion up and out of its retainers to expose the battery compartment.
3. **Disconnect the old battery - On the 2006-2011 Lucerne: With the seat cushion out, lift** off the battery cover if your Lucerne has one. Remove the hold-down hardware (base clamp in the under-seat tray), then disconnect the NEGATIVE (-) cable first and tuck it aside wher...
4. **Compare and install the replacement - For the Lucerne, set the old and new batteries side** by side and confirm the group size, case dimensions, terminal type, and polarity all match. Brush corrosion off the cable ends and wipe out the tray. Lower the new Group 48 (H6) on 2008...
5. **Reset and verify operation - Reinstall everything you removed - the battery cover and the** rear seat cushion, pressing the cushion firmly back into its retainers. Start the Lucerne and make sure the battery and charging-system warnings stay off. Radio presets, the cl...

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