2006-2011 Chevrolet HHR - Wiper Blade Replacement

2006-2011 Chevrolet HHR | Easy | 10-15 minutes | $81 DIY

TOOLS

Clean microfiber cloth Glass cleaner or isopropyl alcohol Small folded towel to protect the windshield

PARTS

Driver wiper blade, 18" Bosch 18A $32.99
Passenger wiper blade, 18" Bosch 18B $32.99
Rear wiper blade, 11" $14.99

STEPS

1. **Confirm the HHR’s sizes before you buy - Every 2006-2011 HHR takes 18-inch blades on both** front sides, so the long-versus-short trick won’t help. Rear: 11 inches (2006-2009) or 12 inches (some 2010-2011s); measure the old blade. The rear Roc Loc 2 mount needs a vehicle-spec...
2. **Park and lift the front wiper arms - Park on level ground, ignition off, parking brake** set. Lift each cowl-parked arm until the spring holds it standing - no service position. Lay the two new 18-inch blades side by side first so you know they match.
3. **Remove the driver-side 18-inch blade - Fold the driver’s arm up and rotate the blade** perpendicular. Press the release tab, slide the blade off the hook, keeping the old blade in its spot as a placeholder. Lay a towel under the bare arm before letting go.
4. **Install the new driver-side 18-inch blade - Slide the new 18-inch blade onto the J-hook** until it clicks over the locking tab. Tug along the arm - a half-seated blade can fly off at highway speed. Rotate the blade back in line and ease the arm down.
5. **Replace the passenger-side 18-inch blade - Repeat on the passenger side with the second** 18-inch blade - release tab, slide-off direction, and click-on install are identical. After mounting, check from outside that both blades park neatly side by side at the windshield base withou...
6. **Replace the rear blade on the liftgate - The arm uses a Roc Loc 2 slot-and-tab mount -** not the front J-hook - so a universal blade won’t fit. Lift the arm, press the release tab, and slide the old blade off, noting which way the connector faces. Slide the new rear blade on.
7. **Test front and rear wipers - Ignition on: test the front and rear washers, then run every** wiper speed. Watch for streaks, chatter, or unwiped patches - a dirty windshield is the usual cause of chatter on new blades, so clean the glass if needed.

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