2012-2019 Nissan Versa - Engine Air Filter

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TOOLS

No tools needed - two hand-release metal latches Clean shop rag Wet/dry vacuum with crevice attachment (optional - for cleaning the lower box)

PARTS

Engine air filter for 2012-2019 Nissan Versa; verify engine, housing shape, and VIN fitment $35.00

STEPS

1. **Find the airbox on the driver's side - Open the hood and move to the left (driver) side** of the engine bay. This is the 1.6-liter HR16DE four - the box feeds the intake right off the throttle body. Engine off, and no tools are needed for this whole job.
2. **Flip the two metal latches on the front edge - There are two metal latches on the front** edge of the airbox lid. They hinge on the lid, so do not pull them off - swing them clear.
3. **Lift the lid and note the tabs - Lift the cover off. Before touching the filter, look at** how it sits: pleats facing down into the tray, rubber gasket facing up toward you.
4. **Pull the old filter and clean the box - Lift the old filter straight out. Either way,** check the bottom half of the box for sand, leaves, and insects, and clean it out with a vacuum's crevice attachment or a rag.
5. **Drop in the new filter, pleats down - Lower the new filter into the bottom half of the** box with the pleats facing down and the rubber gasket facing up. If a corner will not lie flat, the filter is wedged - reposition it rather than forcing the lid down on it.
6. **Line up the rear tabs and snap the latches - Then swing the two metal latches down and** snap them over the bottom half until they click. Check that the two halves of the box are flush together at every edge with no part of the filter visible, and that both latches are secure.
7. **Listen for whistling and log the change - Listen at the driver's side for any new** whistling, which means the lid is not sealed or a latch is not snapped. Write the change in your service records.

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