

# Towing a Trailer

Your vehicle can pull a trailer as well as carry cargo, provided you follow the load limits and guidelines below.

## Towing Limits

There are two main types of limits that apply to towing a trailer:

**Maximum total trailer weight = 1,000 lb (454 kg)**

This includes the weight of the trailer and everything in it or on it.

**Maximum tongue load = 100 lb (45 kg)**

The weight that the fully loaded trailer places on the tongue.

The tongue load also affects the total weight you can carry in the vehicle and the cargo carrier. See “Maximum weight capacity” on page 61.

## Checking Loads

### Total Trailer Weight

Check the weight of a fully loaded trailer or estimate the total by adding the weight of the trailer (as quoted by the trailer maker) with the weight of all items placed in or on the trailer.

