



Real
adventures
on and off
absolutely
any path



The ideal New Zealand motorhome



NEW ZEALAND'S OWN PRODUCTION 4WD MOTORHOME

Go anywhere, in any season with the complete confidence you won't get stuck



RUGGED & DEPENDABLE

One-piece, fully moulded, seamless fibreglass body. Stronger, lighter and no leaks



COMPACT & EASY TO DRIVE

The perfect size to park and manoeuvre. Two Explorer models from only 5.65m to 5.9m in length



FULLY EQUIPPED

Four berths, galley, shower, basin and toilet all fully self-contained for long periods off the grid



BUILT HERE WITH PRIDE

Explorers are built tough for New Zealand conditions. Full service and back up from Explorer Motorhomes

Explorers are unique motorhomes for New Zealanders. They take the best of every motorhome ever built and discard the rest, leaving you a perfectly-formed kiwi adventure lifestyle machine.

The key to choosing your ideal motorhome really is size. It's easy to build big, but it's another to design a motorhome that does everything you need, yet remains an absolute pleasure to use.

Explorers aren't too big, nor too small. Their compact space is organised perfectly, simply. Explorers are as easy to drive and park as a car. You won't be afraid to leave home. In fact, you may choose to forget you even have one.

These motorhomes have everything you need and much more than you ever imagined, cleverly arranged in a comfortable space that becomes the stage for the most spectacular shows that New Zealand nature can perform for you.

An Explorer is everything you need, wherever you want to go. And here's the best bit. It's made tough, right here in New Zealand by craftspeople who know more than a thing or two about motorhomes.

That's why we only build the Explorer Compass and Navigator models using one-piece fully moulded fibreglass bodies on the acclaimed Ford Ranger ute. Refined, tough and four-wheel drive to take you to the places other motorhomers can only dream about.

Explorer's your best choice when you want to find real adventure wherever the path leads.

The Explorer compact and complete concept

Motorhomes built using truck chassis and vans don't always make the easiest vehicles to drive, park or manoeuvre, so Explorer created a new concept. Hop in and go motorhomes as easy to use as a car – but also able to be driven through a stream, up a mountain or across broken ground.

Explorer's first motorhome model was the Compass developed right here in New Zealand in 2007. The slightly larger Navigator model debuted in 2011.

Uniquely, we started by building the new Explorer on brand new ute cab chassis. We designed an efficiently shaped one-piece composite body with smooth rounded edges and an attractive integrated overhead luton to provide better performance, stability and economy.

The key to the design success has been the overall size and clever use of space to accommodate everything needed for on and off-road touring. Explorers are built tough, waterproof and well insulated for local use. Many motorhomes just don't cut it in our environment.

Since the introduction of the award-winning Ford Ranger ute, which we now use exclusively, Explorer motorhomes have become even more like cars in comfort, performance, sure-footed safety and easy handling. Superior power and four-wheel drive has revolutionised the capability and appeal of this motorhome for adventurous New Zealanders.



Two intrepid Explorer models take you places the others can't

compass

5.65m L x 2.0m W x 2.78m H



navigator

5.9m L x 2.08m W x 2.95m H



Expertly designed and built here in New Zealand

Explorers are designed and manufactured right here by us in Auckland.

ONE-PIECE COMPOSITE BODY

The two different-sized Explorers both have a one-piece composite body using a vacuumed urethane core sandwiched between layers of fibreglass and an outer layer of gelcoat. This produces a durable and hard finish which is easy to maintain and much more resistant to scratches than a painted finish.

LIGHTWEIGHT, STRONG, SEAMLESS & WATERTIGHT

This vacuumed urethane core helps give a seamless, lightweight and strong body with the added benefit of excellent insulation and you know you'll be leak-free.

Using a moulded body is not common in the motorhome industry because producing these moulds isn't easy, but it is the tried and trusted technique in the boating and trucking industries that we know really performs.

QUALITY, QUALITY, QUALITY

Quality is everything to us. We only use industry-leading components that we know will last the distance. We know that your motorhome is going to take you to some pretty exciting places, so everything needs to work and last.

For example, we only use high-pressure laminate on plywood for Explorer's joinery - not MDF-based materials that swell if they are exposed to moisture.

If you're buying a new motorhome, we encourage you to look deeper than the surface.

Explorer Compass

Go-anywhere Compass is New Zealand's most compact complete motorhome. You will be amazed at what Explorer fits into the Compass. Everything you need and more, is on board. All you need is your adventurous spirit.

Look inside Compass and see how Explorer makes the compact footprint of just 5.65 metres long x 2.0 metres wide work so well as a complete motorhome. While Compass is the smaller of the two Explorer models, it offers you 1.95 metres standing height, plenty of space and every convenience to help you make the most memorable days of your life.

The slightly reduced dimensions (25cm shorter and 8cm narrower than Navigator) only impact marginally on overall interior space so, for most, the basic decision revolves around your bed size and how compact you want the overall size of your motorhome.

With the very practical rear dinette and lounge area, you can take in the best views from the large double glazed windows in absolute comfort. There's a great sense of space and light created by the open layout.

One of the exclusive features of both Explorers is the low entry to the luton bed above the cab. It takes just one step up to the large airy space with 850mm sitting headroom and a better-than-double permanent bed. Opening windows at each end of the luton bed with built-in insect screens, offer good ventilation. It's a very cosy and comfortable place to be all year round.

If you're accommodating four, pull-out slats convert the rear dinette into another bed for two. This cleverly

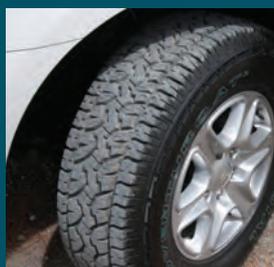
concealed system is simple and easy to set up and store away.

We only use high quality lightweight plywood joinery with a blonded timber finish for the onboard joinery. There's ample storage in drawers, cupboards, wardrobe and under the side dinette seats. Everything is well positioned and has its rightful place.

Compass has a well-specified galley kitchen with everything you need to prepare great holiday meals. There's a 3-gas/1-electric hob cooktop and grill. It also features a large 136L (12V/240V) fridge/freezer as standard, so food storage is never a problem. Other features in the galley include the stainless steel sink with folding hot/cold tap and flush-mounting glass lid, lift-up bench extension, a slimline extractor range hood and generous storage to keep everything stored securely when travelling.

The bathroom is fully moulded for easy cleaning and is well ventilated with an opening roof skylight. The toilet is the latest electric flush, bench style Thetford C400 cassette system. There's also a corner basin with hot/cold single lever tap and extension shower hose on a slide rail.

Compass has fresh water capacity of 95 litres and grey water capacity of 80 litres. Both tanks are fitted with monitors. All Explorer motorhomes are Certified Self Contained.



One wide, easy step to the permanent double bed



Tow your toys with you



And finally, the Compass rear boot locker provides particularly spacious storage for everything you want to bring along - BBQ, chairs, tools, wheel chocks, golf clubs, skis or fishing rods. Explorer Compass really is the whole package. All you need to do is decide where you're off to!



ABOVE: Explorer's rear dinette lounge area is the perfect position to take in the views and relax.

RIGHT: You will be surprised how spacious Compass really is.

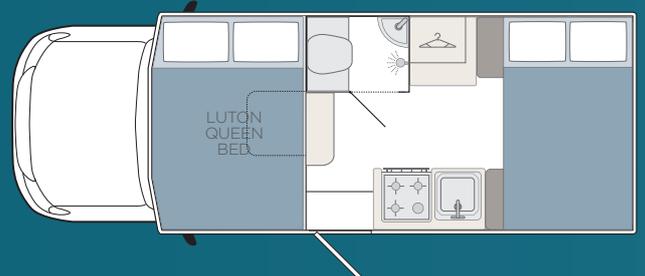
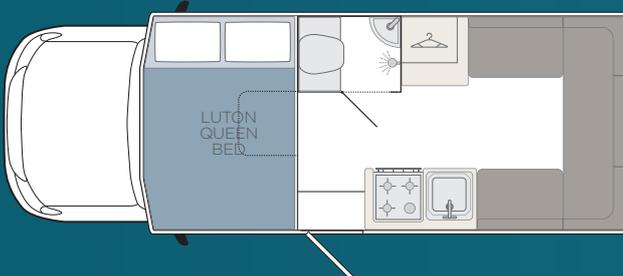
LEFT: Take four-wheel drive Explorers virtually anywhere - even through streams up to 800mm deep.



COMPASS FLOORPLAN

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Ford Ranger is the best choice for the job

We only build Explorers on Ford Ranger utes, recognised as the best on the market for comfort, features and all-important power.

MORE POWER TO YOU

With 3.2 litres and 147kw of engine power you won't be stuck in queues anywhere in an Explorer. And if you want to tow a trailer or boat, know there's more than enough under the bonnet to deliver.

BUILT TO HANDLE THE ROUGH

Available with a six-speed automatic gearbox, we upgrade the rear suspension to handle the additional body weight but otherwise, the Ranger is an extremely well specified ute with a stack of safety features for maximum stability and handling wherever you are. And that includes in water up to 800mm deep!

With great fuel economy, low maintenance and servicing costs, Ranger really is the best base vehicle available to underpin both Compass and Navigator motorhomes.



Explorer Navigator

Navigator offers you even more space for enhanced comfort all round. The permanent queen-sized luton bed is by far one of the biggest, most comfortable and easiest to access of its kind. On road and off, Navigator is perfect.

Navigator's increased dimensions offer more all-round comfort for up to four people while remaining one of New Zealand's most complete, compact motorhomes. At 5.9m long x 2.08m wide Navigator is just as easy to drive and manoeuvre as a large saloon. It's equipped with everything you need and enhanced with a few more options.

We retain the same very practical rear dinette and lounge area of the Compass. The Navigator offers just that bit more space in the dinette seating for lounging about with your favourite book and refreshments. Explorer's oval dining table provides a comfortable entertaining area for four. A larger roof skylight allows in plenty of light and ventilation. We also fit an audio system with stereo speakers.

One of the exclusive features of both Explorers is the low entry to the luton bed above the cab. Navigator goes one better here though. This permanent bed is a queen-size measuring 1.5m wide x 2.0m long for those who are a bit taller or like an even more generous relaxing and sleeping space.

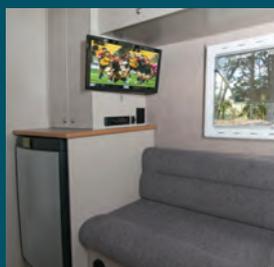
It takes just one step up to the large airy space with sitting headroom. Opening windows at each end of the luton bed with built-in insect screens, offer good ventilation. You'll find it hard to find another motorhome with space that matches.

If you're accommodating four, pull-out slats convert the rear dinette into another bed for two which is slightly wider than Compass.

High quality lightweight plywood joinery with a blonded timber finish for the onboard joinery gives Navigator a very stylish and hard wearing finish. There's ample storage in soft-close galley drawers, high cupboards, wardrobe and under the side dinette seats.

Navigator has a very well-specified galley kitchen with a longer bench and pull out pantry. With a gas oven and 3-burner gas hob you have everything you need to prepare any kind meal even including oven roasts. It also features the large Waeco 136L fridge/freezer (12V/240V) which gives you absolute freedom to be off the grid for long periods. Other features in the galley are the same as in the Compass - stainless steel sink with folding hot/cold tap and flush-mounting glass lid, lift-up bench extension, a slimline extractor range hood and generous storage to keep everything stored securely while travelling.

The bathroom is 100mm longer than in the Compass and features a wider, taller door too. Fully moulded, it's easy to clean and is well ventilated with an opening roof skylight. The Navigator toilet is the latest electric flush, bench style Thetford C400 cassette system.





ABOVE: Navigator's class-leading permanent queen-size luton bed is spacious, comfortable, well-ventilated, and very easy to access.

LEFT: Fully equipped galley kitchen with gas hobs and oven for real home cooking. Pull-out pantry and longer bench gives you extra valuable space.

BELOW: Navigator's bathroom is larger and easier to access than Compass.

There's also a corner basin with hot/cold single lever tap and extension shower hose on a slide rail. Navigator adds a mirrored vanity cabinet for additional storage and a useful pull-out drying rack.

Navigator has fresh water capacity of 95 litres and grey water capacity of 80 litres. And the Navigator is Certified Self Contained too.

Navigator's rear boot locker provides just a little more storage than Compass to bring your holiday essentials and leisure toys.

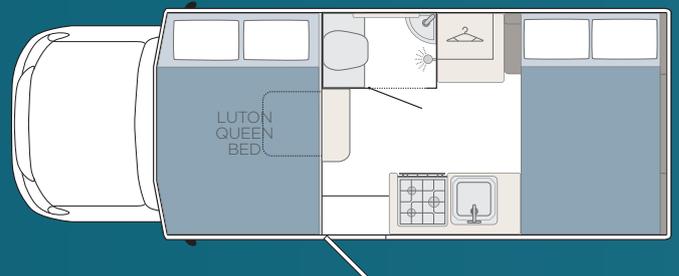
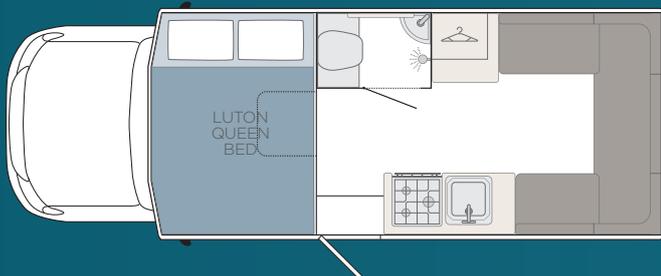
Explorer Navigator is ready for you to head off in any direction, knowing that it just doesn't get any better.



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Explorer Standard Specifications

Com - Compass / Nav - Navigator

Options & Accessories

VEHICLE - FORD RANGER	Com	Nav	GALLEY	Com	Nav	Awning
3.2 litre	✓	✓	Sink: Stainless steel with folding tap & flush-mounting glass lid	✓	✓	Solar Panel with Regulator
5-cylinder	✓	✓	Fridge: 136 litre Waeco with freezer (12V/240V)	✓	✓	Exterior Entrance Step Electric Upgrade
Diesel	✓	✓	Stove/Grill: Dometic LPG 3-burner cooktop, 1 x 240V element with flush-mounting glass lid & LPG grill	✓	✓	Reversing Camera
Automatic	✓	✓	Stove/Oven: Spinflo Triplex 3-burner cooktop/oven/grill with flush-mounting glass lid (LPG)		✓	Clearview Power Mirrors: Extendable & foldable
4-Wheel Drive	✓	✓	Rangehood: Stainless steel with lights. Ducted (12V)	✓	✓	LPG or Diesel Heater
VEHICLE SPECIFICATIONS			Benchtops: Formica with solid timber bullnose	✓	✓	19" LCD TV/DVD with wall bracket
Airbags: Driver & passenger, front & curtain	✓	✓	Benchtops: Formica with solid timber bullnose +190mm L		✓	Satellite Dish
ABS Brakes with Dynamic Stability Control	✓	✓	Liftup Bench Extension	✓	✓	Alloy Wheels
Safety Rating: 5-Star Euro NCAP & ANCAP	✓	✓	Interior Joinery: Manufactured from high pressure laminate on plywood incl. drawers & overhead lockers	✓	✓	Outdoor Shower
Cruise Control	✓	✓	Soft-close Joinery Hardware		✓	Fold Down Outdoor Table
Bluetooth	✓	✓	Liftup Bench Extension	✓	✓	Running Boards
Remote Central Locking & Engine Immobiliser	✓	✓	Pull-out Pantry		✓	Additional Side Locker Door
Power Windows & Mirrors	✓	✓	Rubbish Bin: Integrated on entry door	✓	✓	Bike Rack
Cab Air Conditioning	✓	✓	BATHROOM			Two-tone Upholstery Upgrade
Clearview extendable & foldable power mirrors		✓	Larger room dimension +100mm / Taller, wider door		✓	Tow Bar
DIMENSIONS (METRES)			Shower: Moulded acrylic with hot/cold water flexible pull-up shower on slide rail	✓	✓	Nudge Bar
Overall external length	5.65	5.90	Basin: Corner white acrylic	✓	✓	
External width	2.0	2.08	Toilet: Thetford C400 bench style	✓	✓	
External height (excluding satellite dish, if fitted)	2.78	2.95	Drying Rack		✓	
Internal head height	1.95	1.94	Lighting: LED	✓	✓	
TANKAGE (LITRES)			Roof Vent / Skylight with insect screen	✓	✓	
Fresh water tank (with Tank Monitor)	95	95	Storage: Mirrored Vanity Cabinet	✓	✓	
Grey water tank (with Hose & Tank Monitor)	80	80	ELECTRICAL			
Vehicle Diesel Fuel	80	80	Lighting: LED (12V)	✓	✓	
LPG Bottle	5kg	5kg	House Battery: 150 amp hour AGM sealed deep cycle	✓	✓	
LIVING			Battery Monitor	✓	✓	
Rear Dinette Upholstered Seating: Your fabric choice	✓	✓	Battery Charger: 6-stage automatic (230V 20 amp)	✓	✓	
Removable Dining Table with leg & pole set	✓	✓	Caravan Power Lead: 10m	✓	✓	
Flooring: Vinyl	✓	✓	Power Points: 2 x 240V, 1 x 12V	✓	✓	
Lighting: LED ceiling & corner bulkheads	✓	✓	Water Heater: Truma 14 litres (LPG)	✓	✓	
Roof Vent / Skylight: (mm x mm) with integrated blind & insect screen	400 400	500 700	SAFETY			
Radio / Auxilliary Player Head with stereo speakers	✓	✓	Entry Handrail on upholstered panel	✓	✓	
Wardrobe with door(s)	1	2	Central Locking on entry door	✓	✓	
Storage: Overhead lockers & shelf. Lockers under dinette side seating	✓	✓	Gas Detector & Fire Extinguisher	✓	✓	
Insect screen on entry door		✓	Rear seatbelts & removable headrests for two additional passengers	✓	✓	
Mirror mounted on outside wall of bathroom	✓	✓	EXTERIOR			
SLEEPING			Moulded Fibreglass Body: Urethane foam core for glossy, seamless exterior & excellent insulation	✓	✓	
Bed (luton) Width (m) x Length (m)	1.35 1.95	1.5 2.0	Windows: Double-glazed acrylic with integrated blind & insect screen & telescopic arms	✓	✓	
Bed (rear) with pull-out slat base: Width (m) x Length (m)	1.15 1.95	1.3 2.0	Rear Boot Locker: Interior light. 1550mm L x 420mm D x 530mm H excluding LPG cylinder locker at left end	✓	✓	
Magazine Storage Pocket	✓	✓	Rear Boot Locker: Interior light. 1620mm L x 420mm D x 530mm H excluding LPG cylinder locker at left end		✓	
LED lighting each side	✓	✓	Retractable Exterior Entrance Step	✓	✓	
Privacy curtains x 2: Luton bed & entry to cab	✓	✓	Running Lights on luton		✓	
Windows: Double-glazed acrylic with integrated blind & insect screen and telescopic arms, each side	✓	✓	Exterior LED Entrance Light	✓	✓	
COMPLIANCE			Distinctive Fern Graphics	✓	✓	
Certificate of Compliance & Electrical Warrant of Fitness	✓	✓				
Certified Self Contained	✓	✓				
Warrant of Fitness	✓	✓				



Awning



Reversing camera



Fold down outdoor table



Clearview extendable and foldable power mirrors are standard on Navigator and an option on Compass



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