

Guilin Self-Drive Checklist

One-page printable checklist for foreign drivers in Guilin

Before you leave

- ☐ Valid Chinese driver's license (IDP is not accepted)
- ☐ Passport and visa valid for your stay
- ☐ Rental car booking confirmation in Chinese or English
- ☐ International credit card for the rental deposit
- ☐ Alipay / WeChat Pay set up on your phone
- ☐ Local SIM or confirmed roaming data plan
- ☐ Baidu Maps or Amap (Gaode) app installed
- ☐ Offline maps downloaded (Maps.me backup)
- ☐ Hotel parking confirmed in writing
- ☐ Printed emergency phrases (see below)

Emergency numbers in China

Police: 110 Ambulance: 120 Fire: 119 Traffic accident: 122

报警 / 救护车 / 火警 / 交通事故

Useful Chinese phrases

Hello	你好	Nǐ hǎo
Thank you	谢谢	Xièxiè
Where is the gas station?	加油站怎么走?	Jiāyóuzhàn zěnmě zǒu?
Where can I park?	哪里可以停车?	Nǎlǐ kěyǐ tíngchē?
I need a tow truck	我需要拖车	Wǒ xūyào tuōchē
I had a traffic accident	我出了交通事故	Wǒ chūle jiāotōng shìgù
Call the police	报警	Bàojǐng
Hospital	医院	Yīyuàn