

Know the height restrictions for your vehicle

Over 4.6m – specific permit required

4.3m-4.6m – notice required

Up to 4.3m – unrestricted access



Overheight vehicles pose severe risks to road safety and to road assets and infrastructure.

Vehicles up to 4.3 metres high have unrestricted access but must still obey CLEARANCE and LOW CLEARANCE signs on the road network.

Vehicles over 4.3 metres high up to 4.6 metres may operate on the routes set out in the 4.6 Metre High Vehicle Notice. Vehicles over 4.6 metres high must have a specific permit to operate.



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HEAVY VEHICLE DRIVER CHECKLIST

As the driver of a heavy vehicle,
remember to:

1

Check your vehicle height

Know the height of your vehicle, by itself as well as with its load before you leave the depot.

2

Plan your route carefully

Check RAV maps at: rms.nsw.gov.au/ravmaps
and current road conditions by visiting the Live Traffic NSW website: [livetraffic.com](https://www.livetraffic.com)

3

Travel on authorised routes

Make sure you only travel on authorised routes at all times.

4

Obey CLEARANCE and LOW CLEARANCE signs at all times

Regarding height restrictions so you don't get stuck.

Heavy penalties apply if you don't comply with the requirements for overweight vehicles. Penalties exceed \$2000 and include licence demerit points and loss of registration.

For more information, see
rms.nsw.gov.au/overheight