



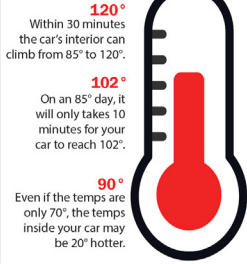
IT'S HOT OUT

LEAVING YOUR PET IN A HOT CAR, EVEN WITH A CRACKED WINDOW CAN BE FATAL.

Did You Know:

• A car's inside temperature can rise by 40 degrees, even with the windows cracked. Even outside temperatures in the 70s can be dangerous to pets waiting in cars.

• Dogs are especially vulnerable to heat-related illness because they can't sweat like we can. They can only cool off by panting and through the pads in their feet. Dogs left in hot cars have **ONLY MINUTES** before their body temperatures rises.



This message was provided to a concerned citizen by the Heritage Humane Society.

Cut out and place in your car's glove box in case of an emergency.

IS IT TOO HOT TO LEAVE YOUR DOG IN THE CAR?

It can take less than 15 minutes for temps to rise above 115 degrees in your car.

- Never leave your pet in a vehicle even on a warm day. **Fast rising temperatures can kill your pet within minutes** or at the very least cause organ or brain damage.
- If you see a pet in this situation, call **911 IMMEDIATELY** with vehicle information and location.
- Leaving pets in a vehicle on a warm day is **AGAINST the law.**



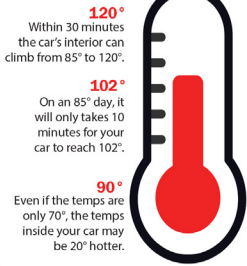
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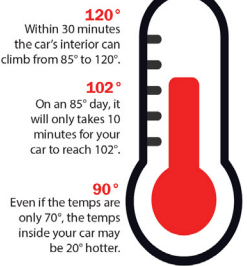
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