

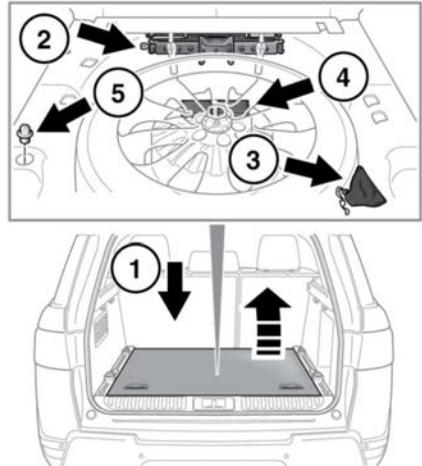
## WHEEL CHANGING SAFETY

Before raising the vehicle or changing a wheel, make sure you read and comply with the following warnings.

-  **Always find a safe place to stop, off the road and away from traffic.**
-  **Make sure the vehicle and jack are both on firm, level ground. Do not jack the vehicle if it is over a metal grating or manhole cover.**
-  **Apply the Electric parking brake (EPB) and engage Park (P).**
-  **Make sure the Air suspension is set to off-road height.**
-  **Switch on the hazard warning lamps.**
-  **Make sure the front wheels are in the straight ahead position.**
-  **Disconnect any trailer/caravan from the vehicle.**
-  **Make sure all passengers and animals, are out of the vehicle and in a safe place away from the road.**
-  **Place a warning triangle at a suitable distance behind the vehicle, facing towards oncoming traffic.**

## TOOL KIT

*Note:* Tool types and positions may vary from the illustration.



E151140

1. Loadspace floor panel.
2. Jack.
3. Spare wheel assist lift tool.
4. Tool kit - located under the spare wheel.  
See 265, **REMOVING THE SPARE WHEEL**
5. Locking wheel nut adaptor.

*Note:* Examine the jack occasionally; clean and grease the moving parts, particularly the screw thread, to prevent corrosion.

*Note:* Take careful note of the stowage position for each tool, as it is important to return them to their correct position after use.

## REMOVING THE SPARE WHEEL

-  **Remove the spare wheel before jacking the vehicle, to avoid destabilising the vehicle when raised.**

# Wheel changing

-  **Wheels are heavy and if handled incorrectly may cause injury. Use extreme caution when lifting, lowering and manoeuvring the wheels.**
-  **Always secure the spare wheel, or the removed wheel, in the correct position using the retaining bolt.**

-  **Do not stow the wheel while the vehicle is raised on the jack.**
-  **After wheel changing, always secure tools, chocks, jack and the replaced wheel in their correct stowage positions. Such objects, if not properly stowed, can become flying missiles in a crash or rollover, potentially causing injury or death.**



E162534

Always remove the spare wheel before jacking the vehicle.

**Note:** Before removing the spare wheel, take note of its stowage position. The wheel to be changed must be correctly stowed and secured in its place.

**Note:** The spare wheel lift assist tool is not fitted to all vehicles. For more information, contact your Dealer/Authorised Repairer.

1. Open the tailgate. See **8, OPENING AND CLOSING THE TAILGATE/8, OPENING AND CLOSING THE POWERED TAILGATE.**
2. Remove the loadspace floor panel.
3. Remove the spare wheel retaining bolt.

4. Remove the vehicle's jack and the spare wheel lift assist tool. See **265, TOOL KIT**
5. Attach the lift assist tool, as shown.
  - Pull the upper strap to lift the spare wheel up.
  - Pull the lower strap, to place the spare wheel onto the tailgate.
6. Remove the tool and carefully lift the spare wheel from the vehicle.

**Note:** Reverse the order to stow the changed wheel.