

# Is Your ATV Ready to Ride?

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Check these items after you get on the ATV:

*Throttle* Check the freeplay and adjust if needed. Press the throttle to make sure it moves smoothly without sticking, and snaps shut automatically when it is released, in all steering positions (page 103 ).

*Brakes* Squeeze the front brake lever and step on the rear brake pedal to check that the controls operate normally. Check for proper freeplay (page 122 ). Make sure there is no brake fluid leakage (page 120 ).

*Reverse Assist Lever* Make sure the lever operates smoothly without sticking (page 110 ).

*Clutch Lever/  
Parking Brake  
Lever* Check for smooth operation and adjust if needed (page 106).

*Headlight and  
Headlight Dimmer  
Switch* Check for proper function (page 19 ).

*Engine Stop Switch* Check for proper function (page 18 ).

*Steering* Check that the wheels turn properly as you steer the handlebar. Move the handlebar right and left and check that there is no excessive backlash.

Remember, be sure to take care of any problem you find, or have your dealer correct it before you ride.