

Family Fun on Tour

Put some spring in your step with the zingy Xplore 586

We've had our eye on the six-berth Xplore 586 caravan ever since it was launched for the 2019 season and every time we take a look at it, we like it even more!

In fact, the new 586 blew us away. The décor is zingy and fresh – ultra-modern and ultra-cool. Indeed, the Xplore displays everything that says it's cool to go caravanning! Families will love it!

Exterior

The Xplore range of caravans is regarded as entry-level but the build quality and attention to detail doesn't suggest this.

All four of the Xplore models (the 586 is the largest) are super-lightweight and easy-to-tow tourers, making them ideal for first-time caravanners. The 586 is built on an Al-Ko chassis and made with StrongLite Aluminium sidewalls to add strength while retaining its lightweight properties. For extra towing stability, it would be worth purchasing the optional Al-Ko Trailer Control system.

The crisp white lines and large, single window at the front of the 'van looks modern. Optional extras include a Fiamma bike rack, external BBQ point and a European-wide anti-theft tracker system.

Living & Sleeping

This is where we believe the 586 excels. For a budget-friendly caravan, it really is extremely comfortable. Furnishings, using wipe-clean Aquaclean upholstery, are modern and exciting. Think Habitat in its glory days with fresh, citrus colours for complementary curtains and soft furnishings.

There's a relaxing, spacious lounge area at the front, which makes up into a double bed (or two singles) and two bunk beds at the rear, though rapidly growing teenagers may find these beds a little narrow. A single-

width dinette makes a useful area in the middle of the caravan for kids to play at a table leaving the lounge area free of toys. This dinette also makes up into two further bunk beds.



Kitchen

There will be no problem preparing full-size family meals in the galley kitchen area with a separate oven and grill, a three-burner hob and a 110-litre fridge-freezer. It all looks modish with black enamel sink, black glass worktops over the sink and hob but more importantly, there is sufficient space to prepare food and cupboards a-plenty to store kitchen equipment.

Washroom

If you like your own washing space rather than trekking to the campsite showers in the early morning, you'll like the 586 washroom. There's plenty of space to help little ones clean teeth, sufficient storage for lotions and potions and an easy-to-wipe floor surface. The separate shower cubicle and electric flush toilet are all sturdy enough to be utilised on a daily basis rather than in an emergency, allowing you to visit campsites with limited facilities.



Storage

Storage is ample with overhead lockers, a wardrobe and good-sized voids beneath the lower bunk and lounge seating. For the sake of spending a few extra pounds, we'd recommend purchasing the optional



exterior access locker door to allow an area for storing outdoor gear, particularly if you're planning quick getaway weekend breaks and don't want to erect an awning every time.

Final Say...

If you had plans to purchase a secondhand caravan, believing a brand new 'van is out of your price range – take a look at the Xplore 586. We think you'll like what you see and the value you get for your money. Not least, with Grade Three Insulation, you can use the Xplore 586 all year round. ■



Technical Specifications

Mass in Running Order (MIRO):	1175kg
MTPLM:	1400kg
Max Payload:	480kg
Interior Length	5.7m
Overall Length	6.25m
Body width	2.18m
Overall Height	2.6m
Berths	6
Awning Length:	10.15m
Price	£17,594 otr (includes PDI & delivery)

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