Driving modes

DRIVING MODES OPERATION



Use the buttons, located on the centre console (see **288**, **DRIVER CONTROLS**), to move through the different Driving modes. The currently selected Driving mode's LED indicator lamp will illuminate and a confirmation message will also be displayed in the Message centre.

Note: Changing between Driving modes will alter various vehicle settings, for example, engine revs may alter on selection of a different Driving mode, while at a constant accelerator pedal position, steering system feel may also become heavier or lighter. These changes are not dramatic but will be noticeable.

DYNAMIC

The Dynamic driving mode coordinates the vehicle's control systems to help deliver a high performance driving experience, enabling the vehicle's full potential to be exploited.

The vehicle's responses are aimed at involving the driver in a more focused and purposeful driving experience.

Note: Dynamic driving mode will remain selected for approximately 6 hours after the ignition is switched off, after which point it will need to be selected again, if required. **Note:** During manual gear selection, see **106**, **MANUAL GEAR SELECTION**, with Dynamic driving mode selected and the transmission in Sport (**S**), the transmission up-shifts are fully controlled by the driver. The transmission will not change up automatically, even when the engine's (revolutions per minute (rpm)) speed limit is reached. The gear shift indicator warning lamp will illuminate briefly, in the Message centre, at the recommended (up-shift) gear change point. See **54**, **GEAR SHIFT (GREEN)**.

NORMAL



When the Normal driving mode is selected, all of the vehicle's systems will return to their normal settings.

Normal driving mode should be selected once the need for any other driving mode selection has passed.

ECO



The **ECO** driving mode coordinates the vehicle's control systems to help deliver a more conservative driving performance, to help achieve better fuel economy and lower exhaust emissions.

While **ECO** driving mode is selected, the system's status will be displayed in the Message centre. See **46**, **INSTRUMENT PANEL**.

Selecting **ECO** driving mode will alter some of the:

- Vehicle settings:
 - Automatic transmission gear changes.
 - Accelerator pedal response.
- Heating and ventilation settings:
 - Heated seats will be switched off. See 81, HEATED SEATS.