

Clio 182 Front Seat will Not Tilt forward?

You do NOT need to cut the seat open. I have done it to make the explanation clearer.

If you can feel resistance when you pull the plastic handle on the top of the seat, you can usually fix the tilt by doing what is below.

Note: If the handle has no resistance then the cable has become disconnected and see elsewhere on the forum for how to fix this.

FYI - The handle pulls this cable.

The cable lifts the 2 bars which then allows the seat to tilt forward. The mechanism that they connect to gets gummed up with all the dust under the seat sticking to the grease and the plastic handle and cable does not have enough force to unstick it.

You can feel these bars through the back of the seat material.

DO NOT CUT THE SEAT OPEN!

Pull the plastic handle and keeping it pulled.

You can feel the bars through the seat back material and then push each bar upwards in turn until the mechanism frees up.

Move it back and forth a few times to properly free it up.

Now it should work normally again just by pulling the plastic handle.

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