

Families Planet

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The world's family network.

Families, places and activities – anywhere in the world.

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WELCOME

Neighbours, even on the road.

When a family hits the road, the greatest treasure isn't the sights but the community: other kids to play with, parents to swap experiences with, and places someone has already tried for us.

Families Planet is a map-based community app for travelling, homeschooling and worldschooling families. It shows who is near you, where it's worth going with the kids, what's happening nearby – and connects you with families heading to the same place at the same time as you.

In this brochure we walk through the app feature by feature: what it does, why it's good for families, and how to use it. At the end, we tell you how we reward those who build the community.

30
nearest families with one tap

10,000 km
search radius until we find them

~1.5 km
location blurring for safety

2 languages
EN & HU interface

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FAMILIES

Live family map

Open the map and instantly see which families are near you.

The app finds the 30 nearest active families around your location. If few are nearby, the circle grows by itself – up to 10,000 km. With the + More button next to the result count you can expand the list to 60, then 100. Browse them as cards on the slider at the bottom.

WHY FAMILIES LOVE IT

- No more searching Facebook groups to see who's around.
- Playmates for the kids within days, even in a new city.
- See families' interests, languages and kids' ages.
- Long-press anywhere to look around "ahead" where you're going.

HOW TO USE IT

1. Allow location access.
2. Browse the family cards on the slider.
3. Tap a family and view their profile.
4. Send them a message and arrange a meetup.



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PICKS

Family Picks

Places tested on the spot by families with their own kids.

Zoos, aquariums, amusement parks, water parks, campsites, beaches and kids' activities. A Pick can only be posted on the spot – the location always comes from your own GPS, so there are no made-up or remotely entered places. 10 colourful category icons mark them on the map.

WHY FAMILIES LOVE IT

- Real, honest tips, not paid ads.
- Filter by category: find the zoo in an instant.
- Photos and ratings help you decide.
- Poorly rated places disappear on their own.

HOW TO USE IT

1. Tap Post and choose Pick.
2. Place the crosshair (max. 15 km from you).
3. Add a name, category, description and photos.
4. Save – and you've already helped other families.



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MAP INFO

Infos and warnings

Quick, short-lived alerts: what's happening nearby right now?

A closed road, a free concert, a dangerous crossing or a great market this morning. Map Infos appear as small dots on the map: black for info, red for danger. The community can vote on them – useful ones stay longer, the rest disappear after 24 hours by default.

WHY FAMILIES LOVE IT

- Fresher information than any guidebook.
- Hear about dangers in time.
- No outdated news: it expires on its own.
- Bubbles only pop up near you (10 km).

HOW TO USE IT

1. Zoom in on the map (visible above zoom 11).
2. Tap a dot for details.
3. Vote: was it useful or not.
4. Post › Info or Danger, and describe it briefly.



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EVENTS

Events and meetups

Organise a joint activity, or join an existing one.

A joint hike, a learning afternoon, a picnic or a birthday. Every event has its own group chat where participants can coordinate. Tap "I'm going" to RSVP, and the organiser is notified instantly. Past events are removed from the map automatically.

WHY FAMILIES LOVE IT

- Easily find company for any activity.
- All coordination in one place, in the group chat.
- See how many are coming and who they are.
- We send a reminder before the event.

HOW TO USE IT

1. Post › Event.
2. Set the place, time and description.
3. Invite families, or wait for sign-ups.
4. Discuss the details in the group chat.



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HUBS

Hubs – family centres

Permanent meeting places: community spaces, learning centres, family-friendly coworkings.

Hubs are the stable points of the map, where families return again and again. This is where longer friendships, learning groups and joint projects form. They have their own marker on the map and can be browsed on the slider too.

WHY FAMILIES LOVE IT

- A safe anchor in a new city.
- Learning groups for worldschooling families.
- Community and workspace for parents too.
- Long-term connections, not just one afternoon.

HOW TO USE IT

1. Choose the Hubs view on the map.
2. View the hub's profile and programmes.
3. Favourite it to keep it at hand.
4. Visit and get to know the community.



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TRAVEL PLANS

Plan ahead – travel buddies

Enter where and when you're going – we'll show who else will be there.

In the Our destinations window you can add your next stops and months, even several. If another family will be within 150 km or in the same country at the same time as you, a festive confetti card tells you: "You found a possible travel buddy!" – along with their note.

WHY FAMILIES LOVE IT

- Know who you can meet before you even leave.
- Kids can look forward to new friends.
- Plan shared stays and activities.
- Instant notification of every new match.

HOW TO USE IT

1. Open the Our destinations window.
2. Type the city (suggestions after 3 letters).
3. Tick the months and add a note.
4. If there's a match, start a chat with one tap.



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FORUM

Family forum

Ask, answer and share experiences from all over the world.

Visas, school systems, homeschooling, insurance, doctors abroad, best destinations with little kids. The forum is organised into topics and categories, you can follow the conversations that matter to you and get notified of new replies. The community rewards helpful answers.

WHY FAMILIES LOVE IT

- Real experience from those who've done it.
- A searchable knowledge base, not lost in a feed.
- Followed topics with notifications.
- Good answers earn points and recognition.

HOW TO USE IT

1. Open the Forum tab.
2. Search for a topic or browse by category.
3. If there's no answer, start a new topic.
4. Follow it and answer others too.



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CHAT

Chat and community

Private conversations with families – and a shared space for everyone.

Message any family: send photos, voice messages and, if you like, share your exact location for a meetup. Dates, read ticks and a "Seen" label show where the conversation stands. And at the Campfire you can chat in a small circle.

WHY FAMILIES LOVE IT

- Quick coordination without sharing your phone number.
- Exact location only when you want.
- Voice messages while driving or packing.
- Your private contacts stay with you.

HOW TO USE IT

1. Tap a family › Message.
2. Attach a photo, voice or location with the + button.
3. Follow the ticks: sent, read.
4. Sit down at the Campfire to say hi.



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FAVOURITES

Favourites

Collect what matters: places, events, families.

Every card and profile has a heart. Whatever you favourite comes back with one tap in the map's Favourites filter – even months later, when you return to a city.

WHY FAMILIES LOVE IT

- Your own personal travel notebook.
- No need to collect screenshots.
- Quickly find your proven places again.
- Share your favourites in chat too.

HOW TO USE IT

1. Tap the heart on a card.
2. Choose the Favourites view on the map.
3. Browse them on the slider.
4. Share with families in a message.



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NOTIFICATIONS

Notifications that matter

Never miss a thing – and we never bother you needlessly.

Get notified about new messages, travel buddy matches, forum replies and event reminders. Non-urgent news is sent bundled, and we stay quiet at night – they arrive from 10 am local time. You can toggle everything separately.

WHY FAMILIES LOVE IT

- Messages and matches arrive quickly.
- No beeping at night.
- Bundled summary of less important things.
- Full control in Settings.

HOW TO USE IT

1. Turn them on in Chats or Forum.
2. Allow when your phone asks.
3. Check with a test notification in Profile.
4. Choose what you want to receive.



REWARD SYSTEM

We reward those who build.

Points aren't for clicking around but for real value: when you help, recommend, organise or bring new families. Points turn into levels, badges reward the first big steps, and the most active families nearby are highlighted weekly and monthly.

Points

Well-rated picks, helpful forum replies, daily use, invited families.

Levels

You level up based on your points – a festive animation marks every new level.

Badges

Easy 20, medium 30, hard 50 points. Each needs at least 3 times – except the first forum topic.

Leaderboard

Weekly and monthly local recognition for the most active families.

20 pt

EASY

First forum topic, 3 picks, 3-day streak

30 pt

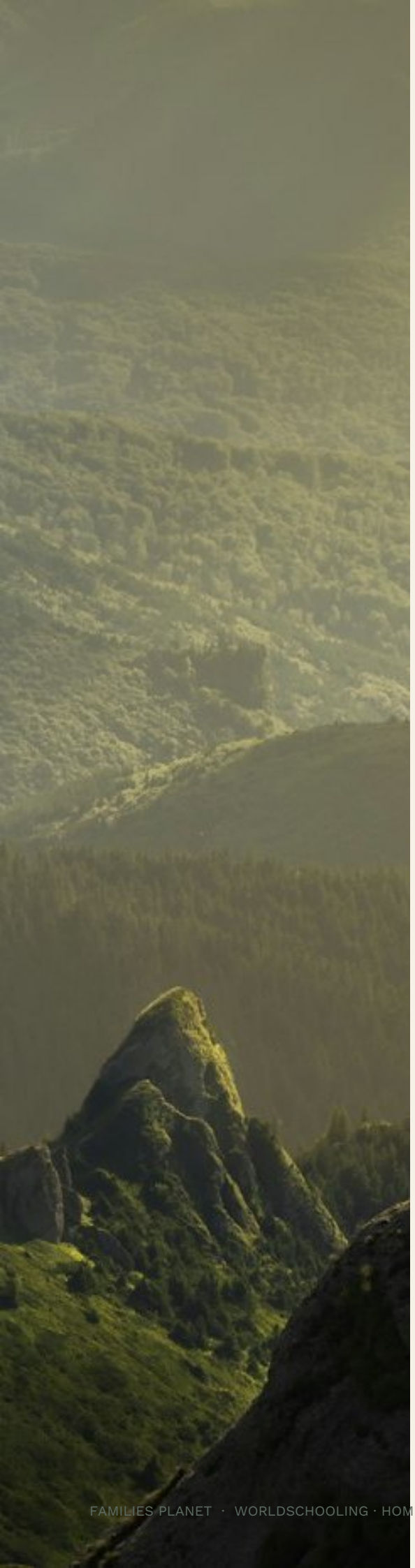
MEDIUM

3 events, 3 Map Infos, 7-day streak

50 pt

HARD

10 places, 10 forum helps, 30-day streak



SAFETY AND PRIVACY

Peace of mind.

- **Blurred location**
  Other families only see a position shifted by about 1.5 km, changing daily.

- **Exact location only on request**
  You share your exact location only in chat, by your own choice, after a warning.

- **Private contacts**
  Phone, WhatsApp, Telegram – only you see them until you share.

- **Report and block**
  Any content or family can be reported; after two reports chat is blocked.

- **30 days of inactivity**
  Anyone who doesn't use the app for 30 days is removed from the map – we let you know first.

- **Full account deletion**
  All your data can be permanently deleted with one tap. GDPR-compliant.

AND MORE

Little things that matter a lot.

Installable app

Add it to your home screen: it works like a native app, with a spinning globe splash screen.

Two languages

English and Hungarian interface – adapts to your device language, switchable in Profile.

Themes

Light and soft dark colour schemes, easy on your eyes.

Satellite view

Switch between the standard and satellite map with one tap.

Did you know? tips

Behind the ? button on every page, a short random tip awaits.

Tablet and desktop

On larger screens: sidebar, multi-column forum, profile and chat.





Let's go to the map!

Your next friendship is one tap away.

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