

USER STORY

Alice Smith



Alice is a 30-year-old, **married female who recently shifted to the Kansas City area.**

Mother of **2 children, aged 1 to 10.**

Alice leads a busy life and is often on the go.

"I am so busy with everything (Jobs, kids, and the pet), but I really feel like I should take the kids to visit places nearby to give them some great memories and experience!"

"Now, that I am very new to this place, I wish to have something which can filter places and make my life go easy on me. I lose track of things from my mind so it better saves information for me."

Alice's Goals and Needs

- Alice wants to plan a short trip that will provide her kids with memorable weekend getaways.
- She wishes to have something which can filter locations according to her needs such as restaurants, grocery stores, museums, parks, etc.
- A complex app doesn't appeal to her because she no longer has the time to work on it.
- To make it easy for her to keep track of things in the new place, so she wants to save the places visited or save them for later.

Alice's Motivation

- Travel and exploration are among Alice's favorite things. Her excitement at moving to Kansas City comes from being able to visit nearby places.
- To learn about ideas for family activities and sort places based on their type, such as parks, museums, etc.
- Maintain her children's engagement and happiness by finding activities for them.

Alice's Frustrations

- The amount of time she has available for planning is extremely limited for Alice.
- Her goal is to get to the destination without spending time on research.
- She wants a way to easily search for places based on her needs for being very new to the city.

PROJECT IDEA

Places Nearby



Web application to get **information about places around the users**

Sort places according to category

Save your favorite places

Who

This application addresses all the issues Alice has with visiting different places. Anyone will be able to use this application to explore/find good places around her in a new location, whether he/she is living, touring, or just visiting. You can explore places like restaurants, museums, local attractions, and more using the application.

What

- Using **both ListView and MapView**, the application provides a list of locations based on the user's criteria.
- The application **stores all the memories** of the user's adventure.
- New users **can read what visitors have written on other people's blogs** about the location to get a better idea of it.

When

A person visiting a new place would like to see all the wonderful things that the city has to offer. This application **will show locations that are near you** that are the most frequented.

Where

The application will be **deployed on the web**.

Why

A map will **show all the relevant locations/places they might enjoy visiting nearby**. Users will find it easier to find places based on preference with the UI design and its features such as search and filter.

How

People **can simplify the search process by using the filter feature**, and they can also keep a blog about their recent adventures.

The application also **allows users to save favorite places** they have visited or places they wish to visit.

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