

Adding New Routes (Account Completion Required)

Refer to [signup_instructions.pdf](#) and [profile_instructions.pdf](#) for completing account setup.

- **Step 1**-Navigate to the route creation page:
 - Go to either the **Categories** or **Community** page by clicking on the corresponding button in the navigation bar,
 - Click on either “Official Routes,” “Community Routes,” or one of the specific route types: “Bike,” “Walk,” or “Drive” (The specific route type is will skip the next step),
 - If you clicked on “Official Routes” or “Community Routes,” choose a route type like “Biking,” “Walking,” or “Driving”,
 - The routes page will display. Look for a green “+” button at the top right of the side panel.
- **Step 2**-Create any necessary objects for the route if they don’t already exist on the map:
 - Click anywhere on the map where a waypoint doesn’t already exist to open an object creation form on the left side of the screen. Be sure to click a precise location,
 - Fill out the form. The object name must be unique, contain only Latin and Latvian characters, have a maximum of one space between words, and be free from profanities. Descriptions must not exceed five consecutive non-letter characters, or four identical characters in a row, and should also be profanity-free,
 - Repeat this process for any additional objects needed.
- **Step 3**-Create the route:

- Click on the object on the map that will serve as the starting point for the route,
- The side panel will now display the route creation form.
- Under the “Add Objects” section, click in the input field, type the name of the object you want to add, and select it from the options. If you forgot to add an object, click the gray “+” button to the right of the input field to add it now,
- To remove an object, click the red “x” button next to it,
- After adding all necessary objects, choose an endpoint in the “End Point” section. Select an object as you did previously or choose “Same as Start Point” if the route ends at the starting location,
- Choose a short, two-word name for the route that reflects either a key object and route type or the main locations the route passes through,
- Add a description with any information users might need to safely follow the route,
- Select the route type: Walking, Driving, or Biking,
- Click “Create Route.” If an error occurs, a red notification at the bottom of the screen will explain the issue,
- If the route is created successfully, you will be redirected to the route viewing page, where you can locate the route you created in the sidebar or by clicking on it directly on the map.