

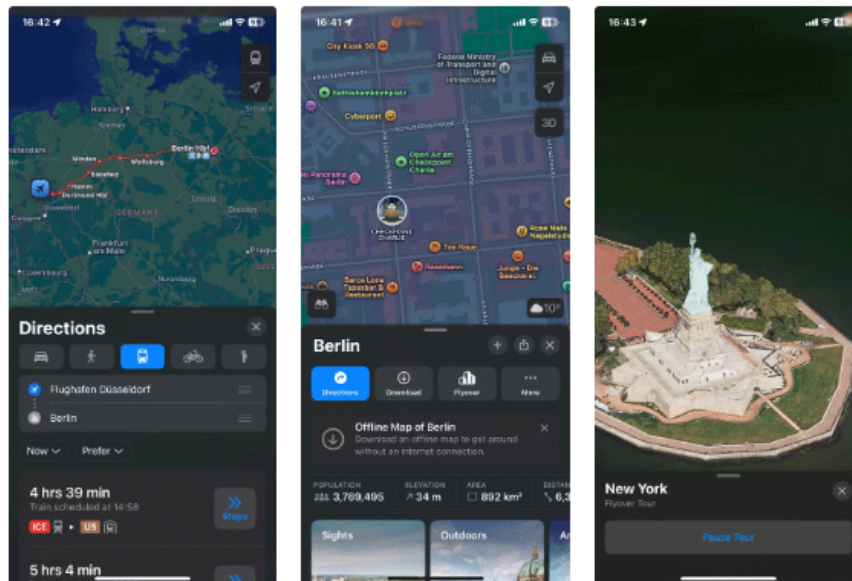
6 Google Maps Alternatives

Some map applications are alternatives to Google Maps and still provide full navigation and address information search features.

Google Maps is a popular mapping application on Android phones, and even on iOS, Google Maps is still downloaded and used by many people.

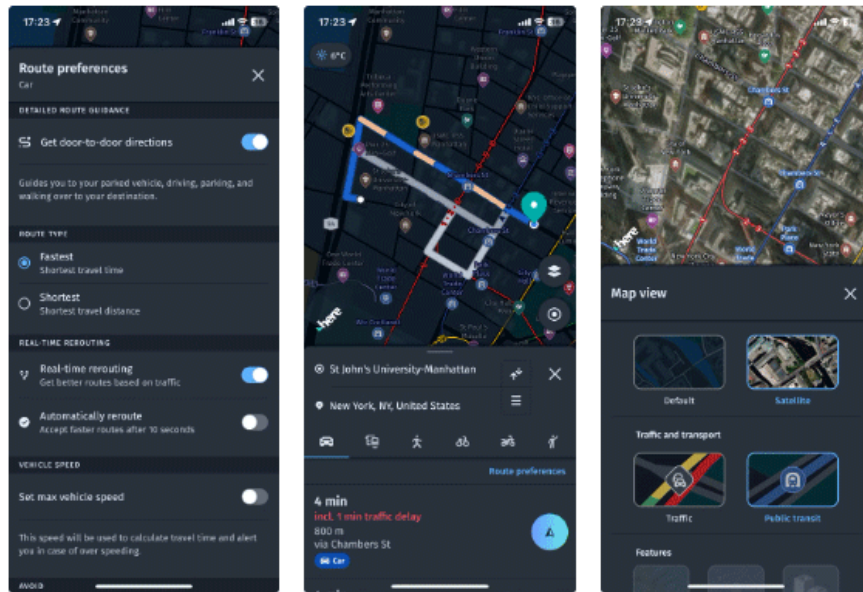
However, if you don't like Google Maps and are not a fan of Google, you can use the map applications below to replace Google Maps.

1. Apple Maps



If you have an iPhone and are invested in the Apple ecosystem, Apple Maps is the best alternative to Google Maps. Despite being a terrible app in the early days, Apple has improved the app over time to become one of the best navigation apps on the market, as shown in TipsMake.com's comparison of Apple Maps vs Google Maps. The app has an intuitive and easy-to-use interface, just like Google Maps.

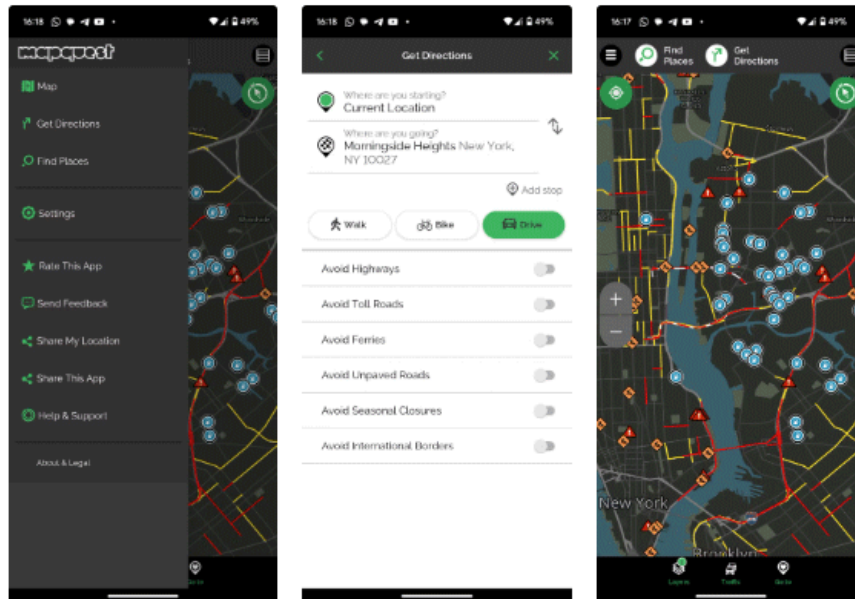
2. HERE WeGo



Like the other options on this list, [HERE WeGo](#) is a solid free navigation app if you want to move away from Google Maps. The app offers a variety of navigation features with an easy-to-use interface. The app has two viewing modes: a default normal view like Google Maps, and a second satellite view for a better perspective of an area. For directions, the app provides turn-by-turn directions and lets you plan your route in advance with stops.

1. Download [Here WeGo](#) for | (Free)

3. MapQuest

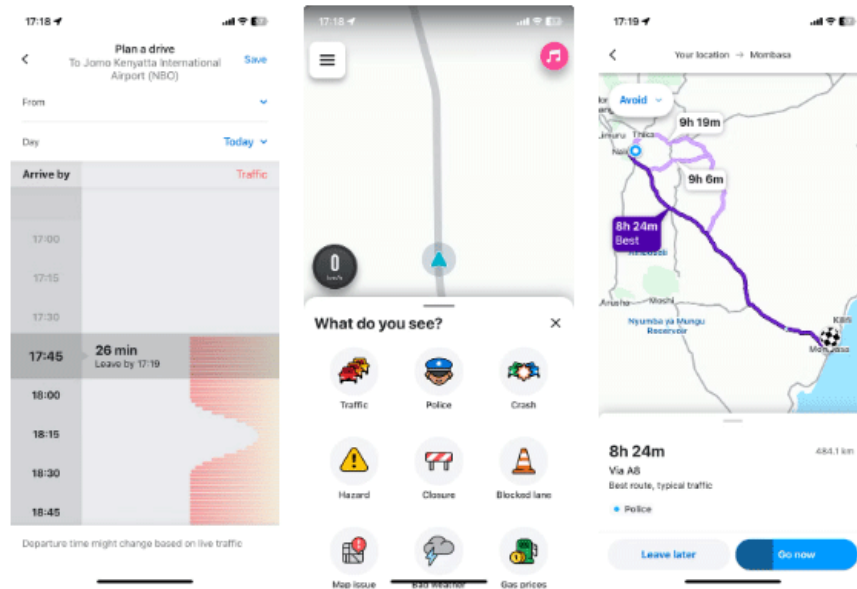


While it doesn't support global navigation like the other options on this list, it excels as a navigation app thanks to its up-to-date satellite imagery and maps, real-time traffic updates, gas-saving optimized routes, and multi-stop routes.

Locations like gas stations, restaurants, banks, etc. can be searched within the app, making it easy for travelers to navigate any city. The only drawback to MapQuest is that it is currently only available in two markets (the United States and Canada), unlike the other Google Maps alternatives on the list.

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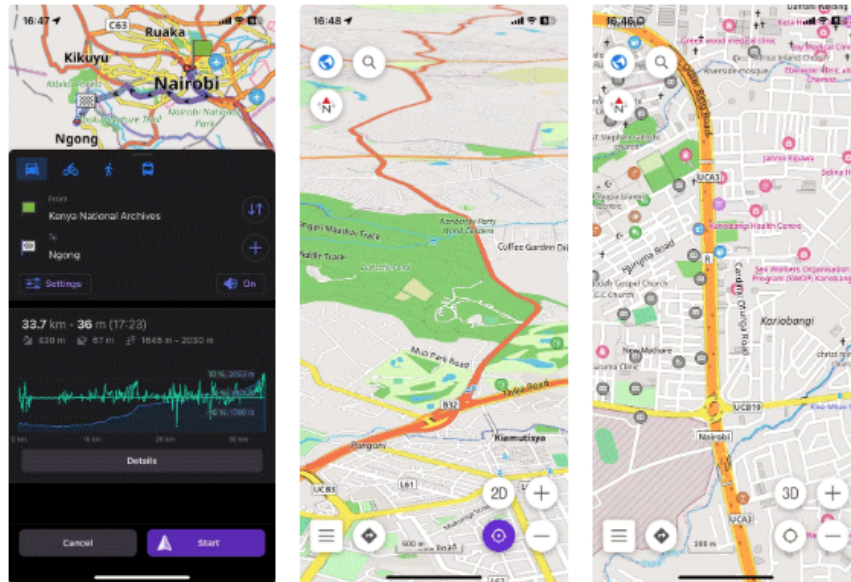
4. Waze



While Google also owns Waze, it's a solid navigation app that you can switch from Google Maps to. First, its community-driven focus makes it a more appealing alternative. There are also a number of reasons why switching from Google Maps to Waze is worth it. Waze's main goal is to be the best navigation app by using crowdsourced information from its network of drivers to provide real-time traffic updates.

1. Download Waze for |

5. OpenStreetMap

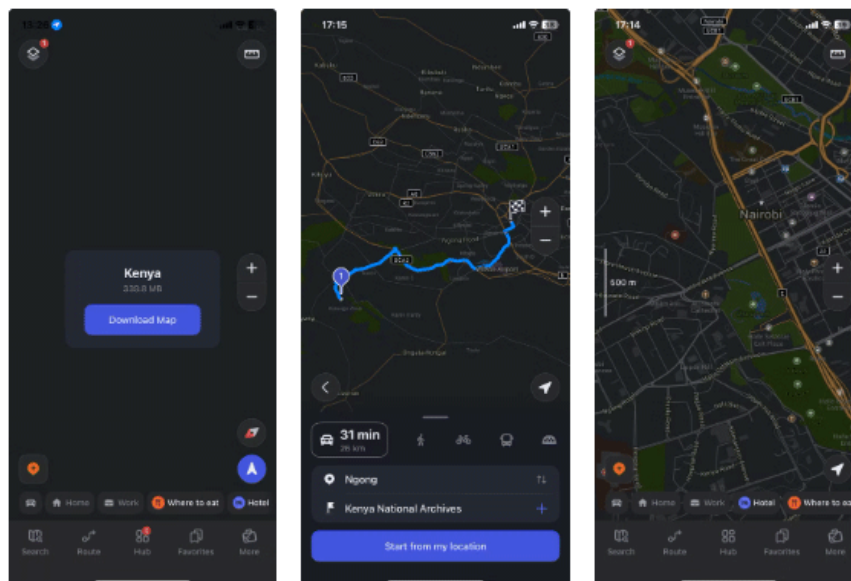


OpenStreetMap (OSM) is a community-run, open-source mapping platform that has been around for years. Getting started is easy, and you don't need an account. Navigating from point to point with OpenStreetMap is as easy as using Google Maps.

You can choose your starting point, destination, and mode of transportation (car, bike, or foot). The app supports offline navigation, and you can view the map in normal or 3D mode. The app supports trip recording and includes points of interest on the map for the adventurous.

1. Download OsmAnd for | (Free, in-app purchases available)

6. MAPS.ME



MAPS.ME uses open-source OpenStreetMap data for navigation. However, what makes this app stand out as a reliable Google Maps alternative is its focus on offline use, allowing you to download entire regions or even countries. If you are an adventurer, traveler, and want to use the offline navigation support provided by Google Maps, MAPS.ME is one of the best options for that. As soon as you install the app, it will ask you to download the map of the region or country you want to view.

1. Download MAPS.ME for | (Free, with subscription)

Google Maps may be the most popular navigation app on the market, but it's not the only option. There are plenty of alternatives, and this article has listed the best ones you should consider if you're thinking about switching. Try each one out and see which one best suits your personal needs.

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