



## Joomla Programmer Hiring Checklist

### Core Expertise

- Experience working with Joomla 3, 4, and 5
- Deep understanding of MVC architecture
- Familiar with core APIs and coding standards
- Can safely upgrade or migrate websites
- Builds custom extensions, plugins, and modules

### Template & Frontend Work

- Proficient in creating template overrides
- Works with frameworks like Helix, Gantry, or YooTheme
- Understands responsive design and frontend optimization

### Extension Handling

- Experience with popular tools like SP Page Builder, RSForm, JCE Editor, Akeeba Backup, etc.
- Can handle integrations with eCommerce, forms, SEO, and backup tools
- Knows how to resolve extension conflicts and compatibility issues efficiently

### Multilingual & ACL

- Can set up multilingual content and menus correctly
- Understands and configures Joomla's ACL system

### Security & Performance

- Follows best practices for site security
- Sets up backups using tools like Akeeba
- Optimizes site performance (Gzip, caching, lazy load)
- Fixes slow-loading pages and improves Core Web Vitals



## SEO & Technical Setup

- Configures metadata, SEF URLs, and canonical links
- Experience with structured data and sitemap generation
- Prepares the site for better search engine visibility

## Communication & Support

- Documents work clearly for future reference
- Offers training to admin users
- Communicates project progress and handles updates professionally

## Need Help With Your Joomla Project?

Whether you're upgrading, troubleshooting, or starting fresh – we're here to help.

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