

# **Marketplace Technical Foundation –** **Customized & Themed Party Essentials Delivery** **Q-Commerce**

*This section provides the technical breakdown for creating a seamless platform for delivering customized party essentials quickly and efficiently.*

## **1. Technical Requirements**

### **Frontend Requirements**

1. User-Friendly Interface:
  - Easy-to-use navigation to browse, filter, and customize party kits.
  - Dynamic search and sorting options (by theme, price, popularity, eco-friendly options).
2. Responsive Design:
  - Mobile-first design for an excellent experience on all devices.
3. Essential Pages:
  - Home: Highlights trending themes, offers, and featured kits.
  - Product Listings: Browse party essentials by theme (birthdays, holidays, corporate events).
  - Product Details: View item descriptions, customization options, and reviews.
  - Cart: Display selected items with live customization previews.
  - Checkout: Simple, secure, and fast.
  - Order Confirmation: Order tracking, estimated delivery time, and payment status.

### **Backend Requirements**

1. **Sanity CMS:**
  - Acts as the central backend to manage all products, orders, and user data.
2. **Schemas:**
  - Products Schema:
    - Fields: Name, theme, price, stock, customization options, and images.
  - Orders Schema:
    - Fields: Customer details, ordered items, delivery address, and event type.

- Customers Schema:
  - Fields: Name, email, contact, and order history.

## **Third-Party APIs**

1. Payment Gateway: Stripe or PayPal for secure transactions.
2. Shipment Tracking API: Real-time delivery updates.
3. Geolocation API: Optimize delivery zones and delivery time estimates.

## **2. System Architecture**

### *Overview:*

The platform's system architecture ensures a smooth connection between frontend, backend (Sanity CMS), and third-party APIs for seamless operations.

## **3. Key Workflows**

### **1. User Registration:**

- Users register → Data stored in Sanity CMS → Confirmation email sent to the user.

### **2. Product Browsing:**

1. User visits the marketplace →
2. Frontend requests product data from Sanity CMS →
3. Products are dynamically displayed with live customization options.

### **3. Order Placement:**

1. User adds items to the cart and customizes them → Proceeds to checkout.
2. Backend saves order details (customer, products, delivery info) in Sanity CMS.
3. Payment processed via Stripe or PayPal → Confirmation sent to user.
4. Shipment tracking data fetched from third-party API → Displayed to the user in real time.

### **4. Shipment Tracking:**

- Users track their order with real-time updates (status and ETA) fetched via API.

## **4. API Requirements**

## Endpoints:

### □ /products

- **Method:** GET
- **Description:** Fetch product listings with customization options.
- **Response:**

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{
  "id": 1,
  "name": "Birthday Party Kit",
  "price": 150,
  "stock": 10,
  "customizationOptions": ["Balloon Colors", "Theme Style"]
}
```

### □ /orders

- **Method:** POST
- **Description:** Save a new order with details of items and customer information.
- **Payload:**

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{
  "customerId": 456,
  "products": [
    { "id": 1, "quantity": 2 },
    { "id": 3, "quantity": 1 }
  ],
  "deliveryAddress": "123 Celebration Lane",
  "paymentStatus": "Paid"
}
```

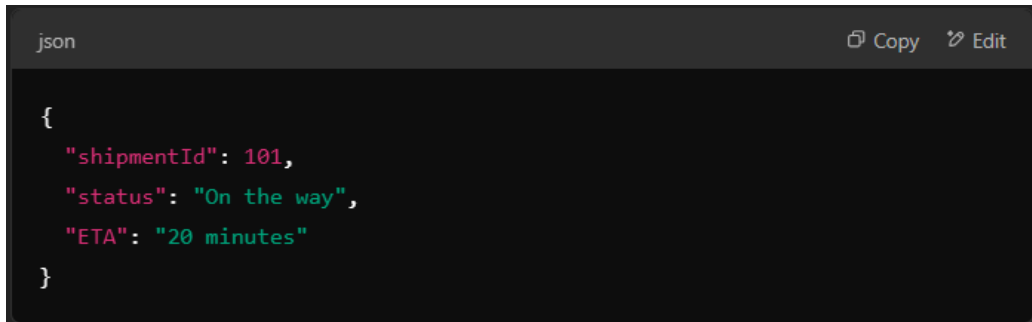
- **Response:**

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{ "orderId": 789, "status": "Confirmed" }
```

□ /shipment

- **Method:** GET
- **Description:** Fetch real-time delivery status.
- **Response:**



```
{
  "shipmentId": 101,
  "status": "On the way",
  "ETA": "20 minutes"
}
```

## 5. Sanity Schema Examples

### Products Schema:

- Fields: Name, price, theme, stock, customization options, images.

### Orders Schema:

- Fields: Customer ID, items ordered, delivery address, payment status.

### Customers Schema:

- Fields: Name, email, contact info, and order history.

## 6. System Diagram

### Components:

1. Frontend: React.js or Next.js for building a dynamic and responsive user interface.
2. Backend: Node.js server integrated with Sanity CMS for API and database management.
3. Third-Party APIs: Stripe (payments), Mapbox (geolocation), and a shipment tracking service.

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[Frontend (Next.js)]
|
↓
[Sanity CMS] --> Fetch products, save orders
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[Payment Gateway] --> Secure transactions
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[Shipment Tracking API] --> Real-time updates
```

## 7. Technical Roadmap

### Milestones and Deliverables:

1. UI/UX Design:
  - Design wireframes for all key pages.
  - Ensure a consistent and mobile-friendly interface.
2. Frontend Development:
  - Develop pages (Home, Listings, Details, Cart, Checkout) using React or Next.js.
  - Integrate with Sanity CMS to fetch and display data dynamically.
3. Backend Development:
  - Set up Sanity CMS schemas for managing product, order, and user data.
  - Create APIs for product browsing, order management, and tracking.
4. API Integration and Testing:
  - Connect Stripe for payment processing.
  - Integrate shipment tracking and geolocation APIs.
  - Test workflows from user registration to order delivery.
5. Deployment and Optimization:
  - Deploy the platform using AWS or Google Cloud.
  - Optimize for high performance, security, and scalability.

This approach mirrors the provided structure while tailoring it to your Customized & Themed Party Essentials Delivery idea, ensuring a robust technical foundation!