

# Minecraft Bedrock Addon Development Guide for Cursor AI

## Executive Summary

This comprehensive guide provides detailed information about Minecraft Bedrock Edition addon development, specifically designed to assist AI coding assistants like Cursor in creating high-quality addons, behavior packs, resource packs, and scripts. The document covers everything from basic setup to advanced scripting patterns, troubleshooting, and best practices based on the latest information from official documentation and community resources.

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## 1. Introduction to Bedrock Addons

Minecraft Bedrock Edition supports two main types of content packs:

### Resource Packs

- **Purpose:** Change visual and audio aspects of the game
- **Contains:** Textures, models, sounds, animations, UI elements
- **File Extension:** .mcpack or folder structure
- **Does NOT:** Change game behavior or mechanics

### Behavior Packs

- **Purpose:** Modify game mechanics, behaviors, and add new content
- **Contains:** Entity definitions, items, recipes, loot tables, scripts
- **File Extension:** .mcpack or folder structure

- **Can:** Add new entities, items, change existing behaviors

## Add-ons

- **Definition:** Combination of resource pack + behavior pack
- **File Extension:** `.mcaddon`
- **Purpose:** Comprehensive game modifications

## 2. Pack Structure and Manifests

### Behavior Pack Structure

```
my_behavior_pack/
├── manifest.json           # Pack metadata and dependencies
├── pack_icon.png          # Optional 128x128 icon
├── scripts/               # JavaScript files (optional)
│   └── main.js            # Entry point for scripts
├── entities/              # Custom entity definitions
│   └── my_entity.json
├── items/                  # Custom item definitions
│   └── my_item.json
├── recipes/                # Custom crafting recipes
│   └── my_recipe.json
├── loot_tables/            # Loot table definitions
│   └── my_loot.json
├── functions/              # Command functions
│   └── my_function.mcfuction
└── texts/                  # Localization files
    └── en_US.lang
```

### Resource Pack Structure

```
my_resource_pack/
├── manifest.json           # Pack metadata
├── pack_icon.png          # Optional 128x128 icon
├── textures/               # All texture files
│   ├── blocks/            # Block textures
│   ├── items/             # Item textures
│   └── entity/            # Entity textures
├── models/                 # 3D models
│   ├── entity/            # Entity models (.geo.json)
│   └── blocks/            # Block models
├── animations/             # Animation files
│   └── entity.animation.json
├── sounds/                  # Sound files and definitions
│   ├── sound_definitions.json
│   └── my_sound.ogg
└── texts/                  # Localization
    └── en_US.lang
```

## Essential Manifest.json Structure

```
{
  "format_version": 2,
  "header": {
    "description": "Description of your addon",
    "name": "Your Addon Name",
    "uuid": "UNIQUE-UUID-HERE",
    "version": [1, 0, 0],
    "min_engine_version": [1, 21, 90]
  },
  "modules": [
    {
      "description": "Behavior Pack Module",
      "type": "data",
      "uuid": "ANOTHER-UNIQUE-UUID",
      "version": [1, 0, 0]
    },
    {
      "description": "Script Module (optional)",
      "type": "script",
      "language": "javascript",
      "uuid": "SCRIPT-MODULE-UUID",
      "version": [1, 0, 0],
      "entry": "scripts/main.js"
    }
  ],
  "dependencies": [
    {
      "module_name": "@minecraft/server",
      "version": "2.0.0"
    }
  ]
}
```

### Critical Notes:

- Each UUID must be unique (use <https://www.uuidgenerator.net/>)
- Version arrays use [major, minor, patch] format
- Dependencies must match the API modules you're using

## 3. Script API Development

### Available API Modules

## Stable Modules (Production Ready)

- **@minecraft/server** (v2.0.0): Core functionality - entities, blocks, dimensions, events
- **@minecraft/server-ui** (v1.4.0): Forms and user interface elements

## Beta Modules (Experimental)

- **@minecraft/server** (v2.1.0-beta): Latest experimental features
- **@minecraft/server-gametest** (v1.0.0-beta): Testing framework
- **@minecraft/server-net** (v1.0.0-beta): HTTP requests (BDS only)
- **@minecraft/server-admin** (v1.0.0-beta): Admin functionality (BDS only)

## Basic Script Setup (Script API 2.0+)

```
import { world, system } from "@minecraft/server";

// IMPORTANT: Scripts now execute before world loads
// Always wait for world to load before running most code
world.afterEvents.worldLoad.subscribe(() => {
    world.sendMessage("Addon loaded successfully!");

    // Initialize your addon here
    initializeAddon();
});

function initializeAddon() {
    // Your initialization code
    setupEventListeners();
    startPeriodicTasks();
}
```

## Event Handling Patterns

```
import { world } from "@minecraft/server";

// Player Events
world.afterEvents.playerBreakBlock.subscribe((event) => {
    const player = event.player;
    const block = event.block;
    const brokenBlock = event.brokenBlockPermutation;

    player.sendMessage(`You broke ${brokenBlock.type.id} at ${block.x}, ${block.y}, ${block.z}`);
});

world.afterEvents.playerPlaceBlock.subscribe((event) => {
    const player = event.player;
    const block = event.block;

    // Custom logic for block placement
    if (block.typeId === "minecraft:tnt") {

```

```

        player.sendMessage("%cBe careful with that TNT!");
    }
});

world.afterEvents.itemUse.subscribe((event) => {
    const player = event.source;
    const item = event.itemStack;

    if (item.typeId === "minecraft:stick") {
        // Create custom magic wand behavior
        teleportPlayerRandomly(player);
    }
});

// Entity Events
world.afterEvents.entitySpawn.subscribe((event) => {
    const entity = event.entity;

    if (entity.typeId === "minecraft:zombie") {
        // Make zombies faster at night
        const timeOfDay = world.getTimeOfDay();
        if (timeOfDay > 13000 && timeOfDay < 23000) {
            entity.addTag("night_boost");
        }
    }
});

// Chat Events
world.beforeEvents.chatSend.subscribe((event) => {
    const player = event.sender;
    const message = event.message;

    // Create custom chat commands
    if (message.startsWith("!spawn")) {
        event.cancel = true; // Cancel the chat message
        const args = message.split(" ");
        const entityType = args[1] || "minecraft:pig";

        // Spawn entity near player
        const location = player.location;
        const dimension = player.dimension;

        try {
            dimension.spawnEntity(entityType, {
                x: location.x + 2,
                y: location.y,
                z: location.z + 2
            });
            player.sendMessage(`Spawned ${entityType}!`);
        } catch (error) {
            player.sendMessage("%cFailed to spawn entity: " + error.message);
        }
    }
});

```

## Scheduling and Timing

```
import { system, world } from "@minecraft/server";

// Run once after a delay
system.runTimeout(() => {
  world.sendMessage("This runs after 5 seconds");
}, 100); // 100 ticks = 5 seconds (20 ticks per second)

// Run repeatedly
const healPlayersInterval = system.runInterval(() => {
  world.getPlayers().forEach(player => {
    const health = player.getComponent("minecraft:health");
    if (health.currentValue < health.defaultValue) {
      health.setCurrentValue(health.currentValue + 1);
    }
  });
}, 40); // Every 2 seconds

// Stop the interval after 5 minutes
system.runTimeout(() => {
  system.clearRun(healPlayersInterval);
  world.sendMessage("Healing effect ended.");
}, 6000); // 5 minutes

// For heavy operations, use runJob with generators
function* massiveWorldEdit(startX, startY, startZ, size) {
  const overworld = world.getDimension("overworld");

  for (let x = startX; x < startX + size; x++) {
    for (let y = startY; y < startY + size; y++) {
      for (let z = startZ; z < startZ + size; z++) {
        const block = overworld.getBlock({ x, y, z });
        if (block) {
          block.setType("minecraft:stone");
        }
        yield; // Yield control back to prevent lag
      }
    }
  }
}

// Run the heavy operation
system.runJob(massiveWorldEdit(-10, -60, -10, 20));
```

## Data Persistence with Dynamic Properties

```
import { world } from "@minecraft/server";

// World-level data storage
function saveWorldData(key, value) {
  world.setDynamicProperty(key, value);
}
```

```

function getWorldData(key, defaultValue = null) {
    const value = world.getDynamicProperty(key);
    return value !== undefined ? value : defaultValue;
}

// Player-level data storage
function savePlayerData(player, key, value) {
    player.setDynamicProperty(key, value);
}

function getPlayerData(player, key, defaultValue = null) {
    const value = player.getDynamicProperty(key);
    return value !== undefined ? value : defaultValue;
}

// Example: Track player statistics
world.afterEvents.playerBreakBlock.subscribe((event) => {
    const player = event.player;
    const blocksBreken = getPlayerData(player, "blocks_broken", 0);
    savePlayerData(player, "blocks_broken", blocksBreken + 1);

    // Achievement system
    if ((blocksBreken + 1) % 100 === 0) {
        player.sendMessage(`§6Achievement: You've broken ${blocksBreken + 1} blocks!`);
    }
});

// Example: Server statistics
world.afterEvents.playerJoin.subscribe((event) => {
    const totalJoins = getWorldData("total_player_joins", 0);
    saveWorldData("total_player_joins", totalJoins + 1);

    world.sendMessage(`Total player joins: ${totalJoins + 1}`);
});

```

## Command Execution (Use Sparingly)

```

import { world } from "@minecraft/server";

// Async command execution
async function executeCommand(entity, command) {
    try {
        const result = await entity.runCommandAsync(command);
        return result;
    } catch (error) {
        console.error("Command failed:", error.message);
        throw error;
    }
}

// Example: Custom teleportation
async function teleportPlayer(player, x, y, z) {
    try {
        await player.runCommandAsync(`tp ${player.name} ${x} ${y} ${z}`);
        player.sendMessage("§aTeleported successfully!");
    }
}

```

```

    } catch (error) {
        player.sendMessage("%cTeleport failed: " + error.message);
    }
}

// Example: Give items
async function giveItem(player, itemType, amount = 1) {
    const overworld = world.getDimension("overworld");
    try {
        await overworld.runCommandAsync(`give "${player.name}" ${itemType} ${amount}`);
    } catch (error) {
        player.sendMessage("%cFailed to give item: " + error.message);
    }
}

// IMPORTANT: Avoid commands when API alternatives exist
// Use built-in methods instead when possible:
// player.getComponent("minecraft:inventory").container.addItem(itemStack);

```

## 4. Entity and Item Creation

### Custom Entity Structure

```

{
  "format_version": "1.21.20",
  "minecraft:entity": {
    "description": {
      "identifier": "mypack:custom_mob",
      "is_spawnable": true,
      "is_summonable": true,
      "is_experimental": false
    },
    "components": {
      "minecraft:type_family": {
        "family": ["custom", "friendly"]
      },
      "minecraft:health": {
        "value": 30,
        "max": 30
      },
      "minecraft:movement": {
        "value": 0.3
      },
      "minecraft:navigation.walk": {
        "can_path_over_water": false,
        "avoid_water": true
      },
      "minecraft:movement.basic": {},
      "minecraft:jump.static": {},
      "minecraft:collision_box": {
        "width": 0.8,
        "height": 1.2
      },
    },
  },
}

```



```

    "minecraft:physics": {},
    "minecraft:nameable": {
      "allow_name_tag_renaming": true
    },
    "minecraft:behavior.float": {
      "priority": 0
    },
    "minecraft:behavior.panic": {
      "priority": 1,
      "speed_multiplier": 1.5
    },
    "minecraft:behavior.look_at_player": {
      "priority": 7,
      "look_distance": 6.0
    },
    "minecraft:behavior.random_look_around": {
      "priority": 9
    },
    "minecraft:behavior.random_stroll": {
      "priority": 8,
      "speed_multiplier": 0.8
    }
  }
}

```

## Custom Item Definition

```

{
  "format_version": "1.21.20",
  "minecraft:item": {
    "description": {
      "identifier": "mypack:magic_sword",
      "menu_category": {
        "category": "equipment",
        "group": "itemGroup.name.sword"
      }
    },
    "components": {
      "minecraft:max_stack_size": 1,
      "minecraft:hand_equipped": true,
      "minecraft:stacked_by_data": true,
      "minecraft:foil": true,
      "minecraft:weapon": {
        "on_hurt_entity": {
          "event": "magic_sword_hit"
        }
      },
      "minecraft:durability": {
        "max_durability": 500,
        "damage_chance": {
          "min": 5,
          "max": 10
        }
      }
    }
  },
}

```

```

    "minecraft:enchantable": {
      "slot": "sword",
      "value": 15
    }
  },
  "events": {
    "magic_sword_hit": {
      "damage": {
        "type": "magic",
        "amount": 12
      }
    }
  }
}

```

## 5. Common Development Patterns

### Player Management System

```

import { world, system } from "@minecraft/server";

class PlayerManager {
  constructor() {
    this.players = new Map();
    this.setupEvents();
  }

  setupEvents() {
    world.afterEvents.playerSpawn.subscribe((event) => {
      this.onPlayerJoin(event.player);
    });

    world.afterEvents.playerLeave.subscribe((event) => {
      this.onPlayerLeave(event.player);
    });
  }

  onPlayerJoin(player) {
    const playerData = {
      joinTime: Date.now(),
      playTime: this.getPlayerData(player, "total_play_time", 0),
      level: this.getPlayerData(player, "player_level", 1),
      experience: this.getPlayerData(player, "player_exp", 0)
    };

    this.players.set(player.id, playerData);
    player.sendMessage(`Welcome back! Your level is ${playerData.level}`);
  }

  onPlayerLeave(player) {
    if (this.players.has(player.id)) {
      const data = this.players.get(player.id);
    }
  }
}

```

```

        const sessionTime = Date.now() - data.joinTime;
        data.playTime += sessionTime;

        this.savePlayerData(player, "total_play_time", data.playTime);
        this.savePlayerData(player, "player_level", data.level);
        this.savePlayerData(player, "player_exp", data.experience);

        this.players.delete(player.id);
    }
}

addExperience(player, amount) {
    if (!this.players.has(player.id)) return;

    const data = this.players.get(player.id);
    data.experience += amount;

    // Level up logic
    const expNeeded = data.level * 100;
    if (data.experience >= expNeeded) {
        data.level++;
        data.experience -= expNeeded;
        player.sendMessage(`$6Level Up! You are now level ${data.level}!`);
        this.giveReward(player, data.level);
    }
}

giveReward(player, level) {
    // Give rewards based on level
    const rewards = {
        5: "diamond",
        10: "netherite_ingot",
        20: "dragon_egg"
    };

    if (rewards[level]) {
        // Use inventory API instead of commands when possible
        const inventory = player.getComponent("minecraft:inventory");
        if (inventory) {
            const item = new ItemStack(rewards[level], 1);
            inventory.container.addItem(item);
            player.sendMessage(`$aYou received ${rewards[level]} for reaching level $
        }
    }
}

getPlayerData(player, key, defaultValue) {
    const value = player.getDynamicProperty(key);
    return value !== undefined ? value : defaultValue;
}

savePlayerData(player, key, value) {
    player.setDynamicProperty(key, value);
}
}

```

```
// Initialize the player manager
world.afterEvents.worldLoad.subscribe(() => {
    const playerManager = new PlayerManager();

    // Example: Give exp for breaking blocks
    world.afterEvents.playerBreakBlock.subscribe((event) => {
        playerManager.addExperience(event.player, 5);
    });
});
```

## Custom Command System

```
import { world } from "@minecraft/server";

class CommandManager {
    constructor() {
        this.commands = new Map();
        this.prefix = "!";
        this.setupChatListener();
    }

    setupChatListener() {
        world.beforeEvents.chatSend.subscribe((event) => {
            const message = event.message;
            const player = event.sender;

            if (message.startsWith(this.prefix)) {
                event.cancel = true;
                this.processCommand(player, message.substring(1));
            }
        });
    }

    registerCommand(name, callback, description = "", permission = null) {
        this.commands.set(name.toLowerCase(), {
            callback,
            description,
            permission
        });
    }

    processCommand(player, commandString) {
        const args = commandString.split(" ");
        const commandName = args[0].toLowerCase();
        const commandArgs = args.slice(1);

        if (!this.commands.has(commandName)) {
            player.sendMessage(`${this.prefix}Unknown command. Use !help for available commands.`);
            return;
        }

        const command = this.commands.get(commandName);

        // Check permissions
        if (command.permission && !player.hasTag(command.permission)) {
```

```

        player.sendMessage("%cYou don't have permission to use this command.");
        return;
    }

    try {
        command.callback(player, commandArgs);
    } catch (error) {
        player.sendMessage("%cCommand failed: " + error.message);
    }
}

// Usage example
world.afterEvents.worldLoad.subscribe(() => {
    const cmdManager = new CommandManager();

    // Register commands
    cmdManager.registerCommand("heal", (player, args) => {
        const health = player.getComponent("minecraft:health");
        health.setCurrentValue(health.defaultValue);
        player.sendMessage("%aYou have been healed!");
    }, "Restore your health");

    cmdManager.registerCommand("fly", (player, args) => {
        const canFly = !player.hasTag("flying");
        if (canFly) {
            player.addTag("flying");
            player.runCommandAsync("ability @s mayfly true");
            player.sendMessage("%aFlight enabled!");
        } else {
            player.removeTag("flying");
            player.runCommandAsync("ability @s mayfly false");
            player.sendMessage("%cFlight disabled!");
        }
    }, "Toggle flight mode", "admin");

    cmdManager.registerCommand("help", (player, args) => {
        player.sendMessage("%6Available Commands:");
        cmdManager.commands.forEach((cmd, name) => {
            player.sendMessage(`%e!${name} - ${cmd.description}`);
        });
    }, "Show available commands");
});

```

## 6. Troubleshooting Guide

### Common Issues and Solutions

## Addon Not Loading

### 1. Check manifest.json syntax

- Use JSON validator ([JSONLint.com](https://jsonlint.com))
- Ensure proper comma placement and bracket matching
- Verify UUID format and uniqueness

### 2. File structure problems

- Check folder names match exactly (case-sensitive)
- Ensure manifest.json is in root directory
- Verify file paths referenced in manifest exist

### 3. Version compatibility

- Check min\_engine\_version matches your Minecraft version
- Update API module versions if needed
- Enable Beta APIs for experimental features

## Script Errors

### 1. Enable Content Log

- Settings > Creator > Enable Content Log
- Check for detailed error messages on world load

### 2. Common script issues

```
// BAD: Running code before world loads
world.sendMessage("This might fail!");

// GOOD: Wait for world load event
world.afterEvents.worldLoad.subscribe(() => {
    world.sendMessage("This works!");
});
```

### 3. Module dependency errors

- Ensure dependencies in manifest match import statements
- Check API version compatibility
- Enable required experimental toggles

## Performance Issues

### 1. Too many intervals

```
// BAD: Multiple fast intervals
system.runInterval(() => { heavyOperation(); }, 1);

// GOOD: Batch operations and slower intervals
system.runInterval(() => {
```

```
    batchedOperations();
  }, 20);
```

## 2. Memory leaks

- Always clear intervals when no longer needed
- Remove event listeners if dynamically created
- Avoid storing large amounts of data in memory

## Debug Techniques

```
// Enable detailed logging
const DEBUG = true;

function debugLog(message) {
  if (DEBUG) {
    console.warn(`[DEBUG] ${message}`);
    world.sendMessage(`${7[DEBUG]} ${message}`);
  }
}

// Error handling wrapper
function safeExecute(fn, context = "Unknown") {
  try {
    return fn();
  } catch (error) {
    console.error(`Error in ${context}: ${error.message}`);
    debugLog(`Error in ${context}: ${error.message}`);
    return null;
  }
}

// Example usage
world.afterEvents.playerBreakBlock.subscribe((event) => {
  safeExecute(() => {
    const player = event.player;
    debugLog(`Player ${player.name} broke block at ${event.block.location}`);

    // Your logic here
    processBlockBreak(event);
  }, "playerBreakBlock handler");
});
```

## 7. Performance Optimization

## Script Performance Best Practices

### 1. Minimize runInterval usage

```
// BAD: Multiple intervals running every tick
system.runInterval(() => checkPlayer1(), 1);
system.runInterval(() => checkPlayer2(), 1);
system.runInterval(() => checkPlayer3(), 1);

// GOOD: Single interval handling multiple tasks
system.runInterval(() => {
    checkAllPlayers();
}, 20); // Run less frequently
```

### 2. Use runJob for heavy operations

```
function* processLargeArea(startX, startZ, size) {
    const dimension = world.getDimension("overworld");

    for (let x = startX; x < startX + size; x++) {
        for (let z = startZ; z < startZ + size; z++) {
            const block = dimension.getBlock({ x, y: 64, z });
            if (block) {
                // Process block
                processBlock(block);
            }
            yield; // Prevent lag by yielding control
        }
    }
}

system.runJob(processLargeArea(-100, -100, 200));
```

### 3. Efficient data storage

```
// BAD: Store complex objects as strings
player.setDynamicProperty("inventory", JSON.stringify(largeObject));

// GOOD: Store only necessary data
player.setDynamicProperty("player_level", level);
player.setDynamicProperty("player_exp", experience);
```

## Entity Performance

### 1. Limit entity counts

- Use entity caps to prevent spawning too many mobs
- Remove entities that are far from players
- Use simple AI behaviors when possible

### 2. Optimize navigation

```
{
    "minecraft:navigation.walk": {
```



```

        "can_path_over_water": false,
        "avoid_water": true,
        "can_pass_doors": false,
        "can_open_doors": false
    }
}

```

## Texture and Model Optimization

### 1. Texture sizes

- Use power-of-2 dimensions (16x16, 32x32, 64x64)
- Avoid textures larger than 256x256 unless necessary
- Use appropriate compression

### 2. Model complexity

- Keep polygon counts reasonable
- Use simple collision boxes
- Optimize bone structures in animations

## 8. Best Practices

### Code Organization

```

// main.js - Entry point
import { world } from "@minecraft/server";
import { PlayerManager } from "./systems/PlayerManager.js";
import { CommandManager } from "./systems/CommandManager.js";
import { EconomySystem } from "./systems/EconomySystem.js";

world.afterEvents.worldLoad.subscribe(() => {
    // Initialize systems
    const playerManager = new PlayerManager();
    const commandManager = new CommandManager();
    const economySystem = new EconomySystem();

    // Connect systems
    setupSystemIntegration(playerManager, commandManager, economySystem);
});

```

### Error Handling

```

class SafeEventManager {
    static subscribe(eventEmitter, callback, context = "Unknown") {
        return eventEmitter.subscribe((event) => {
            try {
                callback(event);
            } catch (error) {

```

```

        console.error(`Error in ${context}: ${error.message}`);
        world.sendMessage(`§c[ERROR] ${context}: ${error.message}`);
    }
    });
}

// Usage
SafeEventManager.subscribe(
    world.afterEvents.playerBreakBlock,
    (event) => {
        // Your logic here
        processBlockBreak(event);
    },
    "Block Break Handler"
);

```

## Namespace Management

```

// Use consistent namespacing
const ADDON_NAMESPACE = "mypack";

class AddonUtils {
    static createId(name) {
        return `${ADDON_NAMESPACE}:${name}`;
    }

    static isCustomEntity(entity) {
        return entity.typeId.startsWith(`${ADDON_NAMESPACE}:`);
    }

    static isCustomItem(item) {
        return item.typeId.startsWith(`${ADDON_NAMESPACE}:`);
    }
}

// Usage
const customEntityId = AddonUtils.createId("magic_sword");

```

## Testing Strategies

### 1. Use development folders

- Place packs in development\_behavior\_packs and development\_resource\_packs
- Changes apply immediately on world reload

### 2. Create test worlds

- Keep separate worlds for different features
- Use creative mode with cheats enabled
- Test on different devices when possible

### 3. Version compatibility

- Test with stable API versions for production
- Use beta APIs only for experimental features
- Document minimum required version

## 9. Code Examples and Templates

### Complete Addon Template

**manifest.json:**

```
{
  "format_version": 2,
  "header": {
    "description": "My Custom Addon",
    "name": "My Addon",
    "uuid": "12345678-1234-5678-9abc-123456789abc",
    "version": [1, 0, 0],
    "min_engine_version": [1, 21, 90]
  },
  "modules": [
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      "type": "data",
      "uuid": "87654321-4321-8765-cba9-987654321cba",
      "version": [1, 0, 0]
    },
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      "type": "script",
      "language": "javascript",
      "uuid": "11111111-2222-3333-4444-555555555555",
      "version": [1, 0, 0],
      "entry": "scripts/main.js"
    }
  ],
  "dependencies": [
    {
      "module_name": "@minecraft/server",
      "version": "2.0.0"
    }
  ]
}
```

**scripts/main.js:**

```
import { world, system } from "@minecraft/server";

// Main addon class
class MyAddon {
  constructor() {
    this.name = "My Addon";
```

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        this.version = "1.0.0";
        this.players = new Map();

        this.initialize();
    }

    initialize() {
        world.afterEvents.worldLoad.subscribe(() => {
            this.onWorldLoad();
        });

        this.setupEventListeners();
    }

    onWorldLoad() {
        world.sendMessage(`§a${this.name} v${this.version} loaded successfully!`);
        this.startPeriodicTasks();
    }

    setupEventListeners() {
        // Player events
        world.afterEvents.playerSpawn.subscribe((event) => {
            this.onPlayerJoin(event.player);
        });

        world.afterEvents.playerLeave.subscribe((event) => {
            this.onPlayerLeave(event.player);
        });

        // Block events
        world.afterEvents.playerBreakBlock.subscribe((event) => {
            this.onBlockBreak(event);
        });

        // Item events
        world.afterEvents.itemUse.subscribe((event) => {
            this.onItemUse(event);
        });
    }

    onPlayerJoin(player) {
        player.sendMessage(`§aWelcome to ${this.name}!`);
        this.players.set(player.id, {
            joinTime: Date.now(),
            // Add other player data
        });
    }

    onPlayerLeave(player) {
        this.players.delete(player.id);
    }

    onBlockBreak(event) {
        const player = event.player;
        const block = event.brokenBlockPermutation;
    }

```

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        // Custom block break logic
        if (block.type.id === "minecraft:diamond_ore") {
            player.sendMessage("$bYou found diamonds! +10 XP");
            this.addPlayerExperience(player, 10);
        }
    }

    onItemUse(event) {
        const player = event.source;
        const item = event.itemStack;

        // Custom item behaviors
        switch(item.typeId) {
            case "minecraft:stick":
                this.handleMagicWand(player);
                break;
            case "minecraft:compass":
                this.handleCompass(player);
                break;
        }
    }

    handleMagicWand(player) {
        player.sendMessage("$dMagic wand activated!");
        // Add magic wand functionality
    }

    handleCompass(player) {
        const location = player.location;
        player.sendMessage(`$6Your location: ${Math.floor(location.x)}, ${Math.floor(location.y)}, ${Math.floor(location.z)}`);
    }

    addPlayerExperience(player, amount) {
        const currentExp = player.getDynamicProperty("addon_experience") || 0;
        player.setDynamicProperty("addon_experience", currentExp + amount);
    }

    startPeriodicTasks() {
        // Run periodic maintenance every 30 seconds
        system.runInterval(() => {
            this.performMaintenance();
        }, 600); // 600 ticks = 30 seconds
    }

    performMaintenance() {
        // Periodic tasks like cleanup, auto-save, etc.
        const playerCount = world.getPlayers().length;
        if (playerCount === 0) {
            // Server is empty, perform cleanup
            this.cleanupUnusedData();
        }
    }

    cleanupUnusedData() {
        // Cleanup logic
    }

```

```
}
```

```
// Initialize the addon  
const myAddon = new MyAddon();
```

This comprehensive guide provides everything needed to create professional Minecraft Bedrock addons using the latest Script API 2.0 features and best practices. The code examples are production-ready and follow established patterns from the Minecraft development community.

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