

How to use the App

Tale Tailor is a mobile app designed for creatives, enabling individuals to create compelling stories and imaginative writing pieces.

Login Page

The username that needs to be typed is me@taletailor.com and the password is 123456 as it is connected to a firebase cloud storage platform using authentication. Typing in anything else would give you a “failed” notification. Sqlite is also set up for this page whereas once the user logs into the app, their information is saved.

Signing up

App has a signup and login page though it is not fully functional yet. You can reach the app by going through the sign up page and will allow the user to enter the app with any information given. To get to the “SignUp” page, click on the “don’t have an account? Create new one.”

Notifications

Access the *account* icon in the top right corner, to view a notification tap send notification to see a reminder notification. Will be later implemented to have functionality so a date and time can be set to continuously remind users.

Multiple screens/Navigation

Navigation is simple and intuitive. On the bottom of the app, you’ll see the *Navigation bar*. This contains buttons to access the *Ongoing Stories*, *Home*, and *Completed Stories* pages respectively.

Home Page

This page allows the user to start a “New Collaboration”, view “Recent Contributions” and their “Stats”.

Ongoing Stories Page

This page allows users to search and pick a story that hasn’t been completed yet to “Continue” working on it with their partner. The “Last Edited”, “Created” and “Contributors” details are displayed as well for each story.

Story Writing Page

This is the page where the story writing actually happens between two authors. Users can write a piece of the story and pressing the “Commit” button adds the newly written piece as a new paragraph to the story (the author of the piece is named above). There is also a “Mark as Completed” button at the bottom, which both authors must press and agree to in order to complete the story and send it over to the “Completed Stories” page where it can be viewed in a

read-only manner. The “Last Edited”, “Created” and “Contributors” details are displayed here as well.

Completed Stories Page

This page displays a list of completed stories with their relevant details and users can Search for stories here as well. Pressing the view button takes them to the View Story page where they can read the completed story.

HTTP Requests

HTTP GET requests are made through the Unsplash API (<https://unsplash.com/developers>). In our case, we use it to generate images that inspire creative thoughts and narratives for our visionary authors! To see this feature, navigate to the *Ongoing Stories* page using the bottom *navigation bar* (left-most option). There, you’ll see a button that says “Inspire Me”. Simply tap however many times you like, and let your imagination guide you!