User Stories and Epics

Starting point is to define the requirements and in Agile, the requirements are captured as Product Backlog.

Use Case

✔ Describes user actions/functions required by the system

✔ Business function requirement supported by multiple user stories

Template

✔ User story description in meta language format – "As a <role>, I want <goal/desire/feature>, so that <benefit>

Requirement

User stories also known as requirements, features or function

✔ Customer describes functional requirements, Development team describes non-functional requirements, deals with risk and defects

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Connect

✔ User story cards may be arranged in a two-dimensional way to show the sequence of the business need

✔ Story maps used to connect dots of various user stories and relationships

User

✔ Used to identify use cases and related user stories, imaginary representation of a user

Stories

✔ Backlog: User Stories & Epics

✔ Epics: Large, low priority user stories; eventually disaggregated into smaller user stories

✔ User Stories: Lightweight mechanism to capture requirements