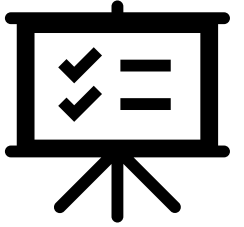QA

POWERING
POTENTIAL

USER STORIES

OBJECTIVES

To understand the role User Stories in an Agile Project

- User story format

- Acceptance Criteria

USER STORY

A user story is a simple description of a product feature that is written from an end user's view point

User stories consist of three parts

1. Who is the user / customer

2. What do they want to do

3. Why do they want to do it, what is the value to the user / customer

USER STORY FORMAT

User stories typically take the following format

As a (user or type of user)
I want a (some goal or something)
So that (I can achieve some value or why)

User stories are a conversation with the user about what they would like the product to do for them.

WRITING USER STORIES

When writing user stories in the
As a (user), I want (goal) so that I can (value or why) format
we should ensure that the user story is:-

- **Independent** of other user stories

- **Feasible**. It needs to be able to change and adapt with the needs of the user

- **Valuable**. It has concrete value to the user

- **Estimable** how complex is it

- **Small** enough for a team member to finish in a few days

- **Testable**

REVIEW

You understand the role User Stories play in an Agile Project

How Acceptance Criteria are used to verify that the user story has been met.

You can describe the User story format

LAB

Complete Lab5.

Duration 60 minutes