



# Storytelling Connects<sup>®</sup>

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# Session outline

- Introductions
- Background (slides)
- Video
- Q&A



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# Aims of the project

- Creative activity to support social isolation
- Enhanced communication
- Stimulus for the imagination
- Verbal and mental sequencing and turn taking

UKRI Healthy Ageing Catalyst Fund and Santander



# A new approach to storytelling

- Structured interaction through the joint creation of stories
- Use of images and the senses to stimulate the imagination
- Developed through a series of pilot phases



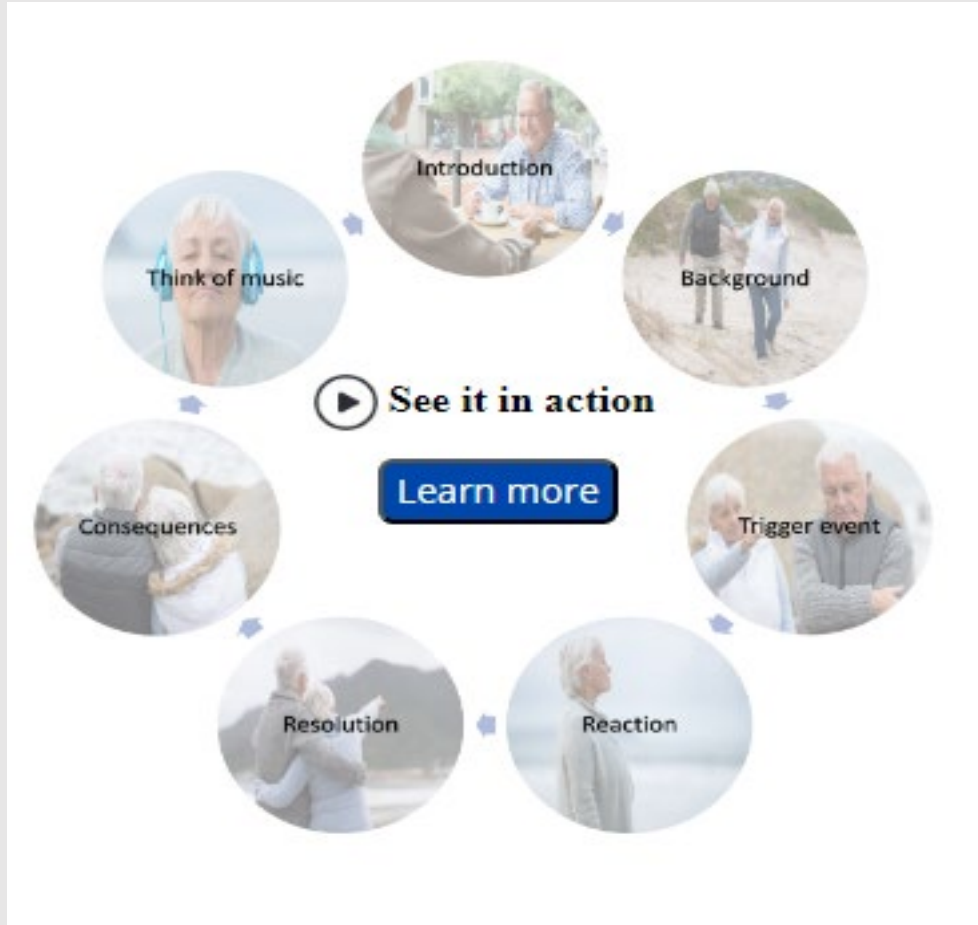
# Testing and development

- Card size
- Text prompts
- Audio / QR codes
- Scented cards



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20 events and locations – care homes, conferences, day centers, family homes, nursing homes, online, workshops since 14 November 2022



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## Further information

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