**Self Check**

**根据短文内容，从方框中选择恰当的单词填空，有的需要变换形式。**

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| good, lady, play, expected, include, fool, alive, till, cancel, disappear |



The rock band Hedgehog (刺猬), which was started in 2005, is one of the most popular rock bands in China. The band didn’t become known to many people (1)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ it took part in a show called The Big Band in May 2019.

The band (2)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ three members — leading singer-songwriter and guitarist Zhao Zijian, drummer Shi Lu and bassist (电贝司手) He Yifan. Like many other rock bands, the band has also experienced many (3)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ difficulties. Many of its performances were often (4)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for some reasons. Sometimes it was close to breaking up and (5)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

One of the reasons why the band has caught many people’s eye is that the drummer is a 36-year-old (6)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ who is about 1.50 meters tall. He Yifan said, “Don’t be (7)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ by her height. She is the best female (女性的) rock and roll drummer in the country.” “Her drumming sounds like a powerful storm. I couldn’t find anyone who plays as (8)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ as Shi Lu,” said Zhao Zijian. Before Shi Lu played the drums, she (9)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the piano for about 6 years. She wants to keep their songs (10)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and she wants their songs to be liked by more and more people.

答案

1. till  2. includes  3. unexpected  4. canceled / cancelled  5. disappearing

6. lady  7. fooled  8. well  9. had played  10. alive