Record Nr. UNINA9910464545003321 Autore Marshall Bethan <1958, > **Titolo** English teachers: the unofficial guide: researching the philosophies of English teachers / / Bethan Marshall London;; New York:,: Routledge,, 2000 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 0-203-75483-2 1-134-69622-1 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (370 p.) Disciplina 428/.0071/041 English philology - Study and teaching - Great Britain Soggetti English teachers - Great Britain - Attitudes Electronic books. Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Monografia Livello bibliografico Note generali Description based upon print version of record. Includes bibliographical references and index. Nota di bibliografia Nota di contenuto Cover; Half Title; Title Page; Dedication; Copyright Page; Table of Contents: List of figures and tables: Acknowledgements: Introduction: 1. The battle for the curriculum; 2. A brief history of English; 3. Finding a voice; A Rough Guide to English Teachers (after p. 56); 4. Analysing the characters; Old Grammarians; Pragmatists; Liberals; Technicians; Critical Dissenters; 5. The medium and the message; 6. Marking the essay; Appendix: copies of teachers' responses to the Rough Guide; Conclusion; References; Index Bethan Marshall traces the competing traditions of English teaching and Sommario/riassunto considers their relevance to the current debate through an analysis of English teachers' views about themselves and their subject. The findings are based on a highly original research method in which teachers were asked to respond to and comment upon five different descriptions of their approaches to English teaching. English Teachers -The Unofficial Guide:\*contextualises current debates about English teaching within the subject's contested history\*provides a vehicle for

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