## **Tyler Cloyd**

Tyler Cloyd was born May 16, 1987 in Papillion, Nebraska. He attended high school at Bellevue East..

After high school Tyler attended the University of Nebraska at Omaha, where he was Pitcher of the Year in 2005 and 2006.

Tyler was drafted by the Philadelphia Phillies in the 18th round of the 2008 draft. Tyler made 2 starts for the Gulf Coast Phillies before being moves up to the short season Williamsport Crosscutters during his first season. During the 2009 season, Tyler started the season with the Lakewood Blueclaws helping them become the first half champions and earning a spot on the All-Star team, he was then promoted to the High A Clearwater Threshers for the second half of the season.