22.- Study the vocabulary to order a meal at a restaurant with these two charts:

Remember: "Could you..., please?" is more polite than "Can you..., please?"

Customer	Waiter
Good evening, have you got a table for two, please?	Yes, come this way, please.
Could I have the menu, please?	Here you are, sir / madam.
Excuse me, waiter! Could you take my order, please?	Yes, of course.
What would you recommend... ... for a starter? / ... for the main course? / ... for dessert?	The ... is/are delicious / very popular. We have some / an excellent... today. The ... is/are very good / very fresh today.
I will have... / Could I have... ? / I'd like... ... some/a ... ... for a starter / for the main course / for dessert, please	(An) excellent choice! Very good, sir / madam.
Could I have the bill, please?	Yes, one moment, please.
Here you are.	Thank you, sir / madam.

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Waiter	Customer
Here's the menu.	Thank you.
Are you ready to order?	Yes, please. Could you give me a few more minutes, please? Could I have some more time, please?
Will you have a starter? Would you like a side dish?	Yes, please, can I have a / some...? No, thank you.
What will you have for the main course? What would you like for the main course?	(I think) I'll have the ... / I'll take the...
(Would you like) anything to drink?	Yes, please. No thank, you, but could I have some tap water, please?
Would you like to order your dessert now or later?	(I'll order it) later, please.
Will that be all?	Yes, thank you very much. Could I also have...?
Here you are, sir / madam.	Thank you (very much).

Complete this conversation at a restaurant:

Waiter – Good evening, sir. Good evening, madam.

Customer 1 – Good evening, a table for two, please?

Waiter – Yes, come , please. (…)

Customer 2 – bring us the menu, please?

Waiter – Yes, here it is. (…) Are you ready ?

Customer 1 – Yes, we both a salad as a , and for the we would like some roast beef, please.

Waiter – Would you like a with that, too? We have chips, peas and carrots.

Customer 2 – I will chips, please. What you ?

Customer 1 – I peas, please.

Waiter – Will you order your now or later ?

Customer 1 – Later, please. Oh, and bring us some wine, too?